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ALGIERS, Nov. 22 (SPA) — King Fahd and President Chedli Benjedid held

official talks about various topics of mutual concern and Arab and Islamic

interests during the second day of the

royal visit. The talks were attended by the

Earlier the two leaders held private

King Fahd arrived here Sunday on a

three-day state visit in which he was

expected to raise the issues of the Saharan

and Gulf conflicts with a view to finding

Meanwhile, the official Algerian daily

Al Moujaked said Sunday that the Palesti-

nian question and the Western Sahara

conflict would be major topics of discus-

The Kingdom's ambassador here said

that he hoped the King's visit would lead

to the resumption of Algerian mediation

to end the Gulf war which has been raging

for over two years.

Meanwhile, in Riyadh, Information

Minister Muhammad Abdo Yamani said

that King Fahd will visit other countries

on MX imminent

President Ronald Reagan is poised to

announce his decision on deploying the huge

new MX intercontinental missile, with all

signs indicating he will chose a closely spaced

basing scheme that faces opposition in Con-

Administration sources said in advance of

Reagan's announcement, expected late

Monday, they understand he has accepted a

recommendation to place 100 MX weapons

in super-hardened launch silos spaced about

1,800 to 2,000 feet (548-609 meters) apart in

the West, probably at Warcen Air Force

The president will discuss the MX in a

nationally televised speech at 8 p.m.,

(0100GMT). The speech will also cover arms

control matters and relations with the Soviet

Union. The entire MX project is expected to

Damaged brain

can be set right

LONDON, Nov. 22 (R) - British and

Swedish scientists say they have performed

experiments on rats which suggest damaged

brain functions could be restored by tissue

transplants, the London Times reported

universities, destroyed the hippocampus, a

part of the brain thought to help rats find

their way through mazer, and transplanted

They then discovered that the rats were as

new tissue, the newspaper said.

The scientists, at Cambridge and Lund

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mandos in August and early September,

Israeli and Syrian forces occupy two thirds of

On Monday, with bagpipes wailing in the

background and helicopters hovering over-head, the first Lebanese Independence Day

parade in eight years rolled through Beirut's

President Gemayel reviewed the parade

from a cream-colored easy chair a few meters

from the old "green line" which had divided his capital into Muslim and Christian sectors

Cabinet reviews

Arab situation

Abdullah, the first deputy premier and com-

mander of the National Guard, Monday

briefed the council of ministers on the con-

tents of two messages between King Fahd

and Kuwaiti Ruler Sheikh Jaber Al-Ahmad

Al-Sabah on the cosolidation of bilateral

Information Minister Dr. Muhammad

Abdo Yamani said that the cabinet, meeting

under Prince Abdullah, examined a number

of reports on the current Arab situation. It

was also briefed by Omar Faqih, the presi-

dent of the Audit Board on the implementa-

tion of the 1400H/1401H (1980/81) state

budget. Furthermore, the cabinet considered

a study submitted to it on the creation of

suburbs for Saudi cities, prior to an indepth

Dr. Yamani also said that the cabinet dis-

cussed and approved a draft economic and

examination at another session.

RIYADH, Nov.22 (SPA) - Crown Prince

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Public service projects

SR174 million projects have been sanctioned for Ras Tanura and Ruhaimah to develop public services, according to the emir of the region. He cites the attention given to the area as a model of the government's concern for development of all parts of the country. — Page 2

Anti-PLO pledge dropped

Israel drops its demand that foreign university teachers in the occupied West Bank sign a pledge not to support the Plestime Liberation Organization. — Page 4

Salvador killings A church leader accuses rightist death squads of murdering 78 civilians last week and weakening the prospects for ending El Salvador's Civil War. — Page 9

Aid to Mexico The International Monetary Fund has asked commercial banks to lend about \$5 billion to Mexico in a deal tied to an expected IMF loan, banking sources in New York say. — Page 10

GATT parleys

Trade ministers meeting this week must find ways of liberalizing world food trade. fighting off protectionism and extending free trade rules to new sectors if the conference of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT) is to be a success, a senior U.S. official says. — Page 11

Norway defense crisis The minority government of Norwegian Prime Minister Kaare Willoch may face a vote of no confidence over next year's budget. The defense minister is accused of withholding information on missiles deployment. — Page 16



Iran denies sinking of tankers by Iraq

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LONDON, Nov. 22 (Agencies) — Iran's oil ministry Monday officially denied reports from Baghdad that Iraqi Air Force and naval units had destroyed five oil tankers near

Iran's main oil terminal of Kharg. A spokesman for the ministry told Reuters by telephone from Tehran: "The public relations of the oil ministry officially denies these reports which are nothing but empty claims." He added: "loading is taking place as usual

and everything is under control." Spot oil traders in Rotterdam said Sunday they had ceased believing Iraqi claims of attacks on Kharg following about nine previous attempts, all of which appeared unfounded.

They said three Norwegian ships lying off Kharg Island at the weekend reported no Iraqi bombings. An Iraqi military communique said Sunday Iraqi aircraft and naval units had hit the ships which burned and sank on Saturday night.

claim and a spokesman said the company had received no confirmation of the Iraqi News Agency report. If Iraqi jets had attacked the tankers, at

least one of them would have managed to

Lloyds of London cast doubt on an Iraqi

stated. In its absence, the spokesman said, the report appeared "without foundation". In support of this view, the spokesman

cited contact with the captain of a ship that left the Kharg area Saturday around midnight who reported sighting nothing unusual. According to an IRNA report Sunday Ira-

nian forces have destroyed a strategic bridge used by Iraqi logistics units east of Basra. The agency said the bridge was knocked out Saturday night. It added that more than 80 Iraqi soldiers had been killed in action in the central and southern sectors during the previous 24 hours. The agency also said Iraqi

artillery fires severely damaged part of the

Iraqi border town of Mandali, some 108

kilometers north-east of Baghdad, after Iranian forces had entered the town. Iranian forces launched an offensive against the Iraqis earlier this month, regaining control of large sections of Iranian land and pushing 10 kilometers into Iraqi territory

Soviets admit MOSCOW, Nov. 22 (R) - New party chief Yuri Andropov acknowledged Monday that the Soviet national food program was not run efficiently and called for greater inde-pendence in agriculture, informed sources

They said that Andropov, 68, urged greater independence in decision-making and action for collective and state farms to boost agricultural production.

He was addressing a one-day gathering of the party's central committee and was reported by the sources to have dwelt mainly on internal problems during his first major address to the party leadership since taking over the top post Nov. 12.

The new party leader was quoted as saying this year's agricultural performance was better than last year's but that the program, introduced by the late Kremlin chief Leonid Brezhnev radically to improve food supply, was still not working efficiently.

Move to save

TRIPOLI, Nov. 22 (AFP) - African leaders were arriving here Monday in what eared as a bid to save the UTS African Unity from break-up, not just to ensure that the OAU's summit meeting, cacheduled to begin Tuesday, goes ahead.

Diplomatic sources here said Monday that the dispute over the seating of the Chad delegation, which bedevilled the ministerial conference all last week, was now taking second place to the overriding need to prevent disintegration of the 19-year-old pan-African organization.

Presidents Shehu Shagari of Nigeria and Daniel Arap Moi of Kenya, the outgoing OAU chairman, were scheduled to arrive later in the day. President Nyerere of Tanzania was also expected in Tripoli soon.

in the central sector of the war front, according to Tehran radio. Oil industry sources estimate current Iranian exports at about two million barrels per

The sources were speaking in advance of official publication of Andropov's speech

which will provide the first vital indications of Kremlin policy under his guidance. On foreign policy, Andropov was said to have spoken of the need to improve relations with the United States, but to have emphas-

ized that an improvement depended on the goodwill of both sides. He also urged Socialist countries to draw together more closely and avoid disputes, the

sources said. They had no word on personnel changes within the ruling 12-man politburo, the central committee's "inner cabinet." Analysts widely expect some changes to be made to strengthen the politburo which has

been depleted by the death of Brezimev Meanwhile, Tass reported that the a noncommittee "released" Andrei P. Kirilenko, 76, for health reasons and elevated Geidar A. Alivey from non-voting candidate membership to full status in the ruling body.

OAU summit

Ethiopia's Mengistu Haile Mariam arrived Sunday night and has already had two meetes with Libyan leader Muammar Qaddafi. Ethiopian sources said that Mengistu felt particularly concerned by the crisis as his country houses the OAU's headquarters.
Saving the OAU from destruction also

implies settling the Chad dispute in a way which would ensure the return of enough delegations here to provide the required quorum of 34 countries out of the total OAU membership of 51. A total of 15 countries have walked out, leaving 30 represented.

A week-long foreign ministers session to prepare an agenda for the summit broke off last week after a showdown between moderate and radical states over Chad issue.

The African diplomatic sources said it was unlikely the fate of the summit would be known until late Monday night or early Tuesgovernment. Spying blamed for SALT setback

good or better at finding food in a maze than before, it added. The Times report said the day. They said moderate states were hoping experiments seemed to be a step forward to Libya would soften itsopposition to the Habre restoring damaged human brain functions.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22 (R) - Sen. Daniel Patrick Moynihan said the espionage of two young men played a major role in the U.S. Senate's failure to pass the Strategic Arms Limitation Talks (SALT) treaty in 1979.

Moynihan, a New York Democrat who is vice chairman of the Senate Intelligence Committee, was asked on television what happened as a result of the spying of Christopher Boyce and Dalton Lee.

The two were convicted in 1977 of passing secrets to the Soviet Union. Lee, now 30, was given a life sentence for providing Moscow with coding cards which enabled them to decode top-secret U.S. Central Intelligence

Agency messages.

Boyce, now 29, worked as a clerk in the secrets vault of a U.S. defense contractor and provided Moscow with the documents. He was sentenced to 40 years.

Asked what the result of their activities

was, Moynihan said they made the satellite systems that were compromised "temporarily at least, useless to us, because the Soviets could block them". The SALT II treaty was signed by Presidents Carter and Brezhnev in June, 1979, but

Senate refused to ratify it following the Soviet intervention in Afghanistan. In another development on the spy front, a Soviet agent who "defected" to the West

falsely revealed that another agent had infiltrated to the top of Britain's MI-5 counterespionage service, it was reported in London The Daily Express said the fake informa-

tion was supplied by the Soviet KGB to turn attention away from a third Soviet agent who really had infiltrated the MI-5.

The newspaper's article was by Chapman Pincher, considered the best-informed British writer on intelligence matters. He wrote that the defector" alleged that he

knew there was an extremely well-placed KGB agent inside MI-5 headquarters."

Peking vows to recover Hong Kong

PEKING, Nov. 22 (R) - Communist China will regain sovereignty over Hong Kong by 1997, but the British colony will be governed by its own people afterwards with its system and lifestyle unchanged, according to a senior Chinese official.

The state-run China News Service (CNS) quoted Liao Chengzhi, a vice-chairman of the national People's Congress (parliament), as having said this at the weekend to Hong Kong industrialists visiting Peking.

The news service also quoted him as saying that Hong Kong's stability and prosperity would be maintained and it would retain its status as a free port and financial center.

Liao's statement Saturday was the first time China has said it planned to regain sovereignty by 1977, the date a 99-year lease to Britain tuns out on the so-called "new territories" that make up more than fourfifths of Hong Kong.

"Mr. Liao told the delegation that China would regain sovereignty over Hong Kong in 1997 at the latest, and would let Hong Kong

people rule Hong Kong," it said.

The agency went on: "After the restoration of sovereignty, Hong Kong's prosperity and stability would be maintained, its system and the lifestyle of its residents would remain unchanged, and it would also retain its status as a free port and financial center."

It quoted Liao as saying he had great confidence in Hong Kong's future. China has always insisted it would recover sovereignty, but no deadline had been given for the

Peking regards the 19th-century treaties which gave the colony to Britain as unequal and, therefore, invalid. The British imposed them by force on the crumbling Manchu empire that was ruling in 1911.

At any cost

Gemayel pledges to free Lebanon

BEIRUT, Nov. 22 (AP) - President Amin Gemayel declared Lebanon would regain its independence on its own terms "no matter what the sacrifices" with the support of the Western and Arab states.

The 40-year-old Gemayel spoke in a nationwide broadcast on the eve of Lebanon's Independence Day."I declare here and now on Independence Day that we will regain our independence and land by all the means available to us and we shall negotiate in the manner and level prescribed by our own national interests and dignity..." Gemayel said. He was apparently referring to Israel and the terms imposed by Israeli leaders for the start of negotiations that will eventualy lead to the withdrawal of Israel troops from Lebanon.

"I feel that the sympathy of friendly Arab states and the cooperation of other friendly countries with us and the raised voices of our emigrants in the Western world especially in the United States with its friendly people and its great president, assures us that we are not alone in the process of negotiation nor in the battle for dignity, freedom and destiny," Gemayel added. "Various powers have striven to strip our people and our land of its rights and sovereignty ... These plots have taken on a thousand shapes, colors and covers and today they have shown their ugliest faces and most dangerous methods," Gemayel said without specifying the object of his attack.

He added: "I tell the orchestrators of these plots, to the near and the far, the friend and the foe that Lebanon is doomed but it is not. Stop whipping our people and learn from history that the whip often moves from the hand of executioner to the hand of the vic-

Lebanon gained independence from France in 1943. Gemayel, who took office Sept. 23, is the country's eighth post inde-

pendence president.

Although Gemayel has succeeded in

imposing government control in Beirut fol-Begin's aide urges pullout

TEL AVIV, Nov. 22 (R) — Welfare Minister Ataron Uzan said Monday Israel was getting dangerously involved in Lebanon's ethnic disputes and urged a unilateral, partial withdrawal of Israeli forces to South Leba-

Speaking to Israel radio, Uzan sa other ministers supported him in calling for Israel to pull back its troops to a 45 kilometers line north of the border without waiting for an overall agreement on the evacuation of all foreign forces from Lebanon.

U.S. peace mediator Philip Habib has returned to Beirut to try to achieve a complete withdrawal of Israeli and Syrian as well as the remaining Palestinian commandos from Lebanon.

"We need not wait for a full agreement but should pull back because we are getting dangerously mixed up in Lebanon's insoluble ethnic battles," Uzan told Israel radio. _____
"The Lebanese authorities are doing

nothing to solve the fighting between the Christian and Druze populations and are blaming for the troubles even though our soldiers have been risking their lives to stop the trade agreement linking Saudi Arabia with Iraq and fostering their economic and trade ties. Finance and Economy Minister Muhammad Aba Al-Khail was empowered to sign the agreement on behalf of the Saudi

Meanwhile, the opposition Labor Party presented a motion of no-confidence in Prime Minister Menahem Begin's government Monday after government figures accused the party of calling for cuts in U.S. aid to Israel. The motion is to be debated

The latest move arose from a furor over a New York Times article which said Labor politicians were urging a cut in U.S. aid as the only means of bringing down the Begin gov-

Pole hijacks plane to West Berlin

BERLIN, Nov. 22 (AP) — One of three security guards aboard a Polish airliner hijacked the Soviet-built An-24 on the first leg of its scheduled flight from Wroclaw via Warsaw to Gdansk Monday and forced the pilot to fly him to the U.S. air base in West Berlin, a base spokeswoman said.

The plane, carrying 31 passengers, a crew of four and the three security guards, landed in Tempelhof airfield and American security guards drove out to the runway to meet it.





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SR174 m Ruhaimah projects sanctioned

RAS TANURA, Nov. 22 (SPA) - A total of SR174 million public service projects are to be carried out in the Ras Tanura region, according to its emir. Fahd Al-Sakran, Mon-

These projects include a SR65 million plan for replacing the old sewage network in Ruhaimah with a new and expanded one to accommodate the urban and residential 1 boom in the town. Work has already began on the scheme. Sakran said. He added that j bids have been opened, for a ring road around the town and asphalting of several streets. The project, to be commissioned MAINT. Will cost about SR49 million.

Bids also have been opened for a SR10 million project that will establish a green belt around Ruhaimah. Seven public gardens are to be be developed inside the town at a cost of SR10 million, Sakran said. Other beautification projects include establishing two recreational parks. One of these will be developed on the western coast of the twon at a cost of SR20, while the second, on the opposite coast, has been allocated SR16 million. The parks will have all recreation means. Studies are now underway for issuing tenders for the two projects, Sakran said.

Ruhaimah has been given approval for construction of a 100-bed comprehensive hospital, the emir added. The town's municipality is preparing at present to commission a SR4 million new slaughterhouse.

Indonesian commission talks open

JAKARTA. Nov. 22 (SPA) - The Saudi-Indonesian Joint Commission began meetings here Monday to discuss various aspects of cooperation between the two coun-

The Kingdom's delegation comprises representatives of the foreign, interior, housing, planning and commerce ministries; the Saudi

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Middle East trade mission Thai team arriving Nov. 28

By K.S. Ramkumar Arab News Staff

JEDDAH, Nov. 22 - Although the decade-old trade between Thailand and Saudi Arabia has been increasing the balance of trade has remained unfavorable to Thailand.

"This is because while the value of Thai exports, mainly consisting of consumer goods, has gone up by 34 percent from \$113 million in 1980 to \$145 million in 1981, imports, mainly of oil, from Saudi Arabia have multiplied by 58 percent from \$934 million to \$1,413 million in the same period," Royal Thai Embassy Commercial Counselor . Gasonboonnak explained.

It is in this context that a 10-member Thai trade mission is arriving here in the course of its Middle East visit to explore the prospects of increasing exports since the region has high purchasing potential.

The mission - third during the last three years - will be here from Nov. 28 to Dec . 3, in Riyadh from Dec. 3 to 6, in Kuwait from Dec. 6 to 10, in Bahrain from Dec. 10 to 13 and in Dubai from Dec. 13 to 17:

The mission will also include Phiboon Phongthirasuwan, Director of Trade Promotion Division, Department of Commercial



Relations, Ministry of Commerce of Thai-

According to Gasonboonnak, the mission will provide assistance and information to prospective importers and help negotiate

96 factories taking part in ROC fairs

By a Staff Writer

JEDDAH, Nov. 22 - The Republic of China will hold its trade fairs from Nov. 28 to Dec. 4 at Hyatt Regency Hotel here, and from Dec. 14 to 20 at Gulf Hotel Meridien, Alkhobar.

Items on display on these fairs will include whole plant equipment, machinery, electric and electronic products, building materials. hardware and hand tools, transportation equipment, leisure and travel goods, sporting goods and toys, medical supplies, textiles and garments, furniture and interior decorations,

Ninety-six factories and manufacturers will take part in these fairs which are projected to supply part of the needs of industrial development of the Kingdom.

The total amount of import from the Republic of China was \$R2,677,460,000 in 1981, according to the Central Department of Statistics, Ministry of Finance and. National Economy of the Kingdom.

that Islamic countries import directly from

each other the goods they produce, rather than purchase them from non Islamic coun-

tries as is the case now. He added that the

promotion of trade exchanges in this way will

boost industrial progress in the Islamic world.

It will prompt the countries to produce more

foodstuffs and manufactured goods and to

develop their transport and communications

Prince Naif presides over **ACSST** session

RIYADH, Nov. 22 (SPA) — Saudi Interior Minister Prince Naif is presiding over the sixth ordinary session of the Arab Center for Security Studies and Training which opened here Monday.

During the meeting several security issues and the center president's report on its activities during the past year as well as an action plan for the coming year, will be reviewed.

It will also discuss the center's budget and finalize a date for the upcoming meeting of the center's board of directors.

Traffic fines go up

JEDDAH, Nov. 22 - Fines for certain traffic violations here have gone up to a regular SR1.000 plus one month confiscation of the vehicle. Al-Madinah reported Monday. Among the infractions deserving such treatment is parking one's car under bridges and flyovers and on side-walks.

King briefed on Korea joint panel meeting

received from Foreign Minister Prince Saud Al-Faisal the full report of the sixth session of the Saudi-Korean Joint Commission held recently in Seoul. Copies of the report were circulated to all concerned ministries, departments and establishments. Okaz repored Sunday.

According to the report, the Koreans expressed keen desire to see Saudi Arabia help Korean firms play their part in the construction of the steel complex, in projects of the Saudi Arabian Basic Industries Corporation, and in establishing a private sector joint venture company. On the financial plane, the Koreans proposed that the Kingdom participate in World Bank loan projects, and that the Saudi Fund for Development extend a \$50 million loans for the development of a

port in Korea. The two sides agreed to step up efforts to increase and expand the scope of trade berween them. The Koreans expressed concern about the growing gap in the trade balance in favor of Saudi Arabia. It expressed the desire to see this balance rectified. The Saudi Arabians explained that the disparity was due to Korea's crude oil requirements, and said that Korea could increase its exports to Saudi Arabia by sending competitive goods to its

The representatives expressed their desire to strengthen agricultural cooperation. Saudi Arabia suggested a set of measures for this

On technical cooperation, the Koreans proposed the sending of 11 Korean railway technicians to the Kingdom. Saudi Arabia asked for Korean medical doctors.

Fahd's Islamic market call is timely—

By Ahmad Shaaban

CASABLANCA. Nov. 22 - King Fahd's call for the establishment of an Islamic Commen Market has come at the right time. Habib Chatti, secretary general of the 43-nation Organization of the Islamic Conference said here Monday. He was addressing

Arabian National Center for Science and

Saudi Arabian Ambassador to Indonesia Muhammad Saced Basrawi is a member of the delegation which is headed by Foreign Undersecretary for Economic and Cultural Affairs Abdullah Muhammad Alfreza.

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Technology; the Organization of Technical Education and Vocational Training; and

the first meeting of the board of directors of the Islamic Center for the Development of Trade set up by the organization. Chatti said that the activities of the OIC

were aimed at establishing such a market within the foreseeable future. He added the market would unite the Islamic world economically and help it become a more influential factor in world affairs, which, in turn, would make it possible for the Muslims to liberate their occupied territories, foremost among which are Jerusalem. Palestine and the Golan Heights.

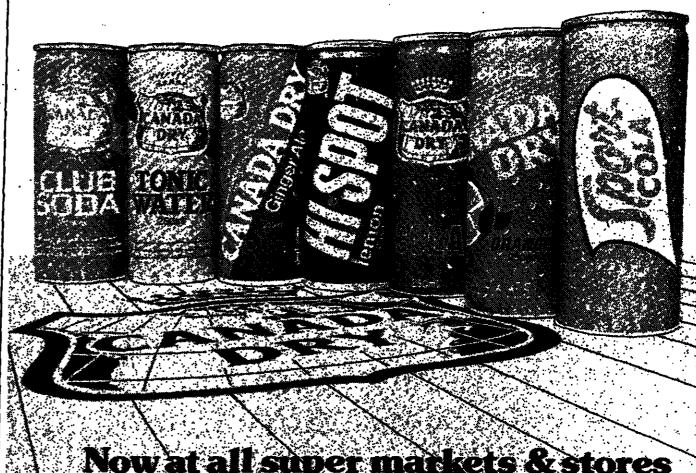
The secretary general of the OIC, which represents nearly one billion Muslims. pointed out that the Islamic world produced more than 40 percent of the overall world oil production. 71 percent of the manganese production and 20 percent of the phosphate ore production. Thus OIC member states combined exports constitute some 12 percent of all world exports. At the same time, their

imports account for only 8 percent of the overall figure. The exports proportion within the Islamic world remains very weak, despite the fact that it is possible to cut down import from non-Islamic countries by activating trade exchanges within the international Islamic community.

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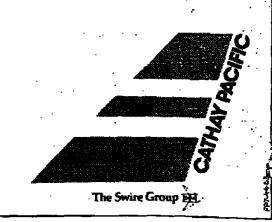
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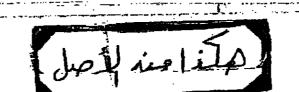


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Kingdom's role important in telecommunications

RIYADH. Nov. 22 — Saudi Arabia's recent remarkable progress in the field of telecommunications has not gone unnoticed in the international community according to Saudi Telephone's West Region Manager Rabea Sadik Dahlan. He said the Kingdom occupied a prominent place among national delegations at the recent Nairobi meeting of the International Telecommunications.

Dahlan, who has played a vital role in the expansion of the Kingdom's telecommunications network, was invited to be the keynote speaker at the event.

"We actively participate in ITU because the enormous growth of telecommunications in the Kingdom makes us an important partner in this sector," Dahlan explained. "First, we wish to keep abreast of all developments in this field, whether technical or administrative and resolve problems of an international

"Second, as ITU is a large and respected international body — a key agency of the United Nations — it is a good forum to press important issue for the Kingdom and the Arab nation."

The ITU is the specialized agency of the United Nations for telecommunications. It was founded in 1865, and has its headquarters in Geneva. The ITU unites the telecommunications administrations of 158 countries. The world telecommunication industry. international and national sound and radio broadcasting organizations, scientific insititutes and network operating agencies all take part in its work through the medium of its four permanent organs: the General Secretariat, the International Frequency Registration Board, the International Radio Consultative Committee, and the International Telegraph and Telephone Consultative Committee. With these bodies, the ITU plans, regulates, standardizes and coordinates telecommunications of every kind, to ensure their harmonious development throughout the world.

Few of the nations belonging to the ITU have risen to prominence as quickly as Saudi Arabia. As the Nairobi Conference demonstrated last month, the Kingdom has assumed a place of leadership not only in technical fields, but in a special role as custodian of the

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values of Islam. The Saudi Arabian delegates worked hard and achieved much, Dahlan said. "In my opinion four items stand out. Most important

perhaps was that Arabic was adopted as one of the official languages of the Union. This is a very significant step forward for the Arab nation." he said.

We also sponsored a successful resolution condemning the damages done to the Lebanese telecommunications network by the barbaric acts of the Zionist entity." Dahlan explained." Third, we accepted to continue as a responsible and respected member of ITU and were elected to the administrative council of the union for the third time. Finally acting on instructions from the Minister of P.T.T. we raised our contribution to this international union 10 times, corresponding to our growth in telephone. This larger contribution will help to support worthwhile projects."

The reasons for the respect granted to Saudi Arabia by the members of the telecommunications community are not hard to find. Using advanced management control techniques that could serve as a model for efficient development among other nations. Saudi Arabia has transformed its telecommunications infrastructure in record time. Recently, in fact, the Kingdom led the world in the speed of telephone installation. The 158 nations of the ITU are impressed with

There has been an increase in the Kingdom's telephone line capacity from 177,000 lines in 1978 to one million lines in mid-1982. serving some 283 communities. While the number of telephone lines was growing. Saudi Telephone also made spectacular

improvements in quality. The Kingdom has the world's first allelectronic telephone system. A 1600 kilometer coaxial cable network is currently being expanded by an additional 2500 kilometers. Expansion is also underway on the King-

dom's 10.000 kilometer microwave network. The country's three Standard A earth stations have led the Kingdom to be the world's sixth largest user of the space segment of the INTELSAT satellite system. A new coastal radio system provides state-of-the-art 24hour communications to ships at sea. A recently introduced mobile telephone net-

work is the largest of its kind in the world. With Saudi Arabia's modern dialing system. more than 88 percent of all of the Kingdom's long-distance calls are dialled directly by the subscribers themselves, compared to only 50 - 70 percent in other western counVentures emphasize using Saudi initiative



1,700 enrolled in Kingdom's girls' colleges

JEDDAH, Nov. 22 (SPA) - The Eastern Region's two girls' colleges in Jeddah and Makkah are now catering for 1.700 students. Of these, 1,200 students study at the Jeddah college in 12 sections including Islamic Studies. Arabic language, history, geography, education, psychiatry, chemistry, physics, biology, mathematics, English language and domestic economy.

Makkah's 500 female students enroll in four sections which are Islamic studies, Arabic language, English language and domestic economy, according to Ibrahim Al-Subhi, Western Region girls' colleges director general. The teaching staff in Jed-dah's college include 98 Saudi Arabian lecturers and assistants, 108 foreign contractees and 44 administrators. A total of 14 students obtained masters' degrees since 1978, Subhi said, while bachelor's degree graduates number 720 female students.

The Makkah girls college is run by 55 Saudi Arabian staff members. About 145 students have graduated from the college since 1979, he said.

Riyadh SR24.9m water pipe contract signed

RIYADH, Nov. 22 (SPA) — A SR24.999 million contract was signed here Monday by Agriculture and Water Minister Dr. Abdul Rahman Al-Sheikh for supply of plastic pipes for expanding Riyadh's water network. A national company was given the contract

JEDDAH, Nov. 22 - Taking the Islamic

approach to any endeavor is the answer to success according to Abdul Mohsen A. Al-Sulaiman. When Sulaiman says his latest ventures, the African Arabian Islamic Bank and the African Arabian Investment Fund, "will be a constructive step toward a new world order," he says it with conviction and provides the facts and figures to make it seem possible.

By Dave Kaiser

Arab News Staff

During the past several years, Al-Sulaiman's track record has been nothing short of phenomenal. He owns a number of successful business ventures in the Kingdom, including the franchise for Avis rental cars and he recently began Arabian Express, the first consumer discount and travel protection card in the Arab world.

"All my enterprises were developed with the initiative of Saudi Arabians in particular and Muslims in general." Al-Sulaiman explained, "It is my belief that if Saudi Arabians use their own initiative there is no necessity to blindly copy other people's

In its prospectus, the bank says its purpose



MONORAIL SYSTEM: The use of a monorail mass transit system for transportation of pilgrims to Makkah has been suggested by Abdul Mohsen Al-Sulaiman. His system is now being built in Canada.

be supplied within 13 months. The expansion covers a number of new residential districts including the limited

income citizens' zone Fawwaz, Badr,

Nadheem and Thamer.

under which some 413 kilometers of pipe is to

and transactions which are lawful and consistent with the Islamic Sharia. In confirmation of these ideals it goes on to say "the board of directors has resolved to donate 30 percent of fees earned by the bank to Islamic projects

Islamic principles stressed

throughout the world." In founding the African Arab Islamic Bank and the African Arabian Investment Fund. Al-Sulaiman says his main purpose is to prove the moral and economic superiority of the Islamic approach to banking and at the same time provide an invaluable service to Third World nations with Islamic com-

"The Arabian Express Card was developed under similar motivation." Al-Sulaiman explained. "It provides its users with discounts of as much as 30 percent and at the same time increases business for firms who honor it."

Although the African Arabian Islamic Bank has no official offices in the Kingdom, it does have them in the Bahamas, United States, Liberia, Zimbabwe. Qatar and plans to open them in other Gulf states. With the establishment of a number of projects which are benfitting the Muslim community in the Third World, Al-Sulaiman claims its benefits are being recognized. They include: an Islamic school in Monrovia, Liberia; an African Arabian school in San Francisco; a mosque in Monrovia; an Islamic institute in Haiti; an Arabian Islamic institute in Puerto Rico: interest-free loans to Muslim small businessmen in Haiti, Liberia, the Bahamas and United States; restoration of historical monuments in Haiti: promotion of Islamic arts and culture in America; support of Islamic publications and studies of economic self-sufficiency in Belize, Nigeria and Liberia. All activities are funded from the bank's own profits and not from the profits of its clients.

"Adhering to our Islamic principles, the bank has made non-interest bearing loans to Muslim businessmen and farmers in a number of locations in Africa," Al-Sulaiman said. "The loans are usually made for equipment such as tractors, the farmers repay the loans within a reasonable amount of time.

"Using my own funds, for more than three years I have also been financing promising high technology innovations and inventions proposed by Muslim businessmen and investors," he said. "Any invention which looked feasible and which would benefit the Third World was financed in the areas of energy.



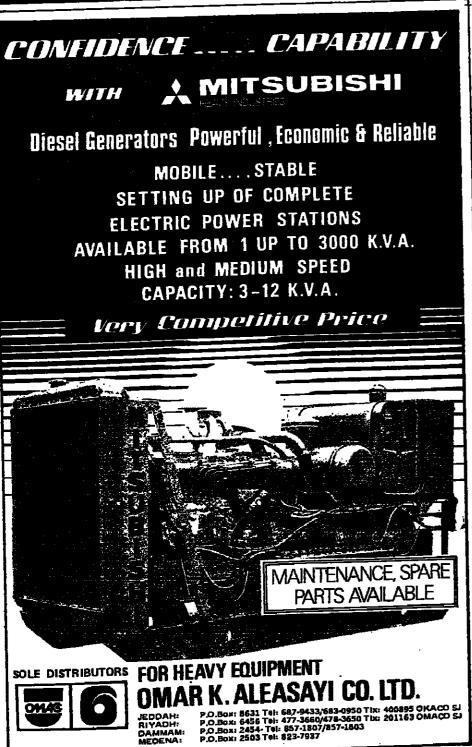
construction, transportation, agriculture, nutrition, mining and manufacturing.

"In each area I searched out useful and innovative items, evaluated and tested them and proved their acceptability."

The Saudi Arabian Investment Fund holds partial ownership in a number of firms developed by Al-Sulaiman, some of which are: a monorail mass transit system which has been suggested to Saudi Arabian pilgrimage officials as an efficient method of transporting pilgrims to Makkah. The system has gained the confidence of Canadian transportation officials and will soon be installed to carry passengers between Edmonton and Calgary, Canada. A business computer designed for use by laymen with no computer background. An earthquake protection device which, Al-Sulaiman claims, reduces earthquake shock by 70 percent. An advanced polymer resurfacing compound. A process to extract oil from tar sands. A marine paint that adheres to metal surfaces. An international, commercial residential and industrial real estate investment firm.

In addition, Al-Sulaiman is now involved in the development of wind mills for power generation, lazer technology for oil and mineral exploration, low-cost housing systems, a low-cost, asphalt-free road-building system, desert planting technology, organic fertilizer, natural herbs, gold mining, oil and gas exploration, mining precious stones, industrial cleaners and production of clothing and













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Anti-PLO pledge dropped by Israel

TEL AVIV. Nov. 22 (Agencies) — Israel Monday dropped its demand that foreign university teachers in the Arab West Bank sign a pledge not to support the Palestine Liberation Organization (PLO) but said it was incorporating similar conditions in work permit regulations.

Full details of the changes were not disclosed. Officials at West Bank universities said they were unsure whether they would quieten criticism which the pledge had attracted both in Israel and abroad. The United States has accused Israel of limiting academic freedom.

"The situation is confused." said Thomas Scanlan, vice chancellor of Bethlehem University, who added that he hoped it was not a cosmetic change. Officials at Bir Zeit, biggest

Mitterrand visits Cairo tomorrow

PARIS, Nov. 22 (AP) — French President Francois Mitterrand leaves Wednesday on a seven-day trip to Egypt and India where he is expected to discuss the Mideast and East-West Tensions and suggest his country for an independent role in both dramas. Mitterrand will pay an official call on Egyptian leaders from Wednesday through Friday and then make a state visit to India from Saturday through Nov. 30.

His purpose is both strategic and economic. France still hopes to act as a broker in Mideast negotiations. It also wants to increase its substantial and growing economic relationships with Cairo and New Delhi,



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lvadh. Dammern Rd., Showrooms Arek P.O.Box 3176 Tel: 2315536/2315456 of the West Bank universities, said they feared it could be a publicity stunt rather than a real change.

Israeli officials said details of the changes would be spelled out by Col. Yehuda Carmon, head of the Israeli occupation administration, when he meets chancellors of the Palestinian universities on Wednesday. Earlier they told reporters that in future teachers and other foreigners wishing to work in the occupied West Bank and Gaza Strip would apply for the same permit.

"The permits will be issued on condition applicants do not try to harm Israeli security," an official in the occupation administration said. "This includes complying all the laws and security regulations which prohibit any action or providing any service which would aid the PLO or any other hostile organization", he added.

The PLO is a banned organization in the coccupied territories. So far 22 foreign teachers from three universities have been deported because they refused to sign the

pledge.

Meanwhile, in the West Bank town of Jenin an unidentified attacker threw a firebomb at an Israeli truck. And in the West Bank's largest town, Nablus, attackers threw rocks at an Israeli bus. The windscreen of the bus was smashed, but there were no injuries in either incident.

BRIEFS

BAALBEK, Lebanon, (R) — The Lebanese flag flew again over the town hall in Baalbek Monday after negotiations brought a peaceful end to anti-government demonstrations by hundreds of armed youths Sunday.

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ANKARA. (R) — Hungarian Prime

Minister Gyoergy Lazar arrived in Ankara

Monday to discuss bilateral and international

issues with Turkish leaders.

WOLFENBUETTEL, West Germany,
(R) — A 38-year-old Turkish mother and
three of her children died when fire swept
through their flat Monday and police said
they could not exclude the possibility of

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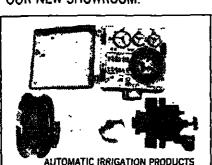


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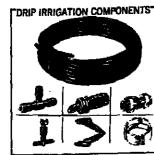
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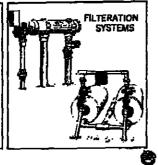
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Settlements hinder peace, Egypt says

CAIRO, Nov. 22 (Agencies) — Egypt Monday renewed its attack on Israel's latest settlement plans in occupied Arab territories, accusing it of hindering peace efforts in the Middle East.

Israel earlier this month disclosed plans to build up to 60 new Jewish settlements in the West Bank by 1985, drawing sharp criticism from Egypt, the only Arab country which maintains diplomatic relations with the Zionist state.

Asked by reporters to comment on the plans, Egyptian Foreign Minister Kamal Hassan Ali said: "They are totally rejected." They constitute a very stiff obstacle to efforts aimed at reviving peace talks in the area."

Ali was speaking after a meeting with President Hosni Mubarak and top policy advisers including Prime Minister Fuad Mohieddin, Minister of State for Foreign Affairs Boutros Ghali and presidential adviser Osama Baz. Ali said the meeting dealt with the outcome of his recent talks in Washington and the situation in the Middle East.

Later Ali held a 90-minute meeting with the Israeli ambassador in Cairo, Moshe Sasson, which they both described as "friendly and cordial." Ali said they discussed bilateral relations and ways of settling a border dispute over Taba, a 700-meter coastal strip in Sinai. Sasson described the differences on Taba

as "only technical."

Asked whether he and Ali has discussed a date for the Taba talks, Sasson replied: "The Taba meeting will be at the technical (experts) level and we did not discuss specif-

The aim of the Taba talks will be to lay down procedures for settling the dispute by conciliation or arbitration as stipulated in the 1979 Israeli-Egyptian peace treaty.



STOPOVER: Romanian President Nicolae Ceausescu is seen with Pakistani President Zia ul-Haq waving to the cheering crowd upon his arrival at Karachi Airport Sunday for a brief stopover.

Zia won't free political foes

KARACHI, Nov. 22 (Agencies) — Pakistani President Gen. Zia ul-Haq said Monday he will not release a number of opposition leaders who are being detained for violating the country's martial law" to pollute the political climate of the country."

Zia made the statement when he was asked whether his government would free the opposition leaders including retired Air Marshal Asghar Khan, head of the Tehrik Istiqlal Party, and Nawabzada Nasarullah Khan, leader of the Pakistan Democratic

"Nobody will be allowed to play foul with the law of the land." he said. The detained politicians "are living comfortably in their houses and they are not in jails as generally believed," Zia said.

Another opposition leader, Nusrat Bhutto, widow of executed Prime Minister Zulfikar Ali Bhutto, flew to West Germany last Satur-

day for treatment of suspected lung cancer.
Mrs. Bhutto. who has headed her late husband's Pakistan People's Party since his execution in 1979, accused Zia in Munich of having destroyed all institutions in Pakistan.

"If she meant the institutions created by her husband and his People's Party, then she is right," Zia said.

Zia also denied reports that he met Afghan President Babrak Karmal during his visit to Moscow for the funeral of President Leonid Brezhnev. Talking to press here for the arrival of Romanian President Nicolae Ceausescu Sunday night. Zia said that foreign press reports that he had met Karmal in Moscow were false.

Meanwhile, lawyers in Karachi and other

Meanwhile, lawyers in Karachi and other cities in Pakistan Monday boycotted the courts to press their demands for restoration of democracy and constitutional rule in the country.

Ethiopia urged to talk peace with Eritreans

TUNIS. Nov. 22 (AFP) — An international symposium on Eritrae coded here Sunday with an appeal to the Ethiopian gove eriment and ell factions of the Eritrean resistance movement to cease fighting and negotiate with no preconditions on Eritrean selfdetermination. Representatives of many Arab and foreign organizations and political parties took part in the three-day symposium organized by the Arab Journalists Union and held under the acquise of the Tunisian govern-

Leaders of the three major Eritrean resistance movements attended, except for the Eritrean People's Liberation Front, which was not invited.

The symposium's closing statement also appealed to international and regional organizations like the United Nations, Organization of African Unity, the Nonaligned Movement and the Arab League to assume their responsibilities by ending the "genocide in Eritrea" and recognizing the Eritrean people's right to self-determination.

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The statement urged the Eritrean resistance movements to "dose ranks to face the challenge of the liberation battle and build the Eritrean people's future." It also asked the international press to make the Eritrean people's battle known throughout the world.

The province of Eritreawas an Italian colony until early 1947, then was overseen by the four allied powers until the end of 1950, when the United Nations decided that poshould be federated with Ethiopia under the Ethiopian crown. The federation was formed officially in 1952. In 1962, the Eritream assembly voted to become an integral part of Ethiopia. The vote was challenged and the Eritrean Liberation Front was established to fight it.



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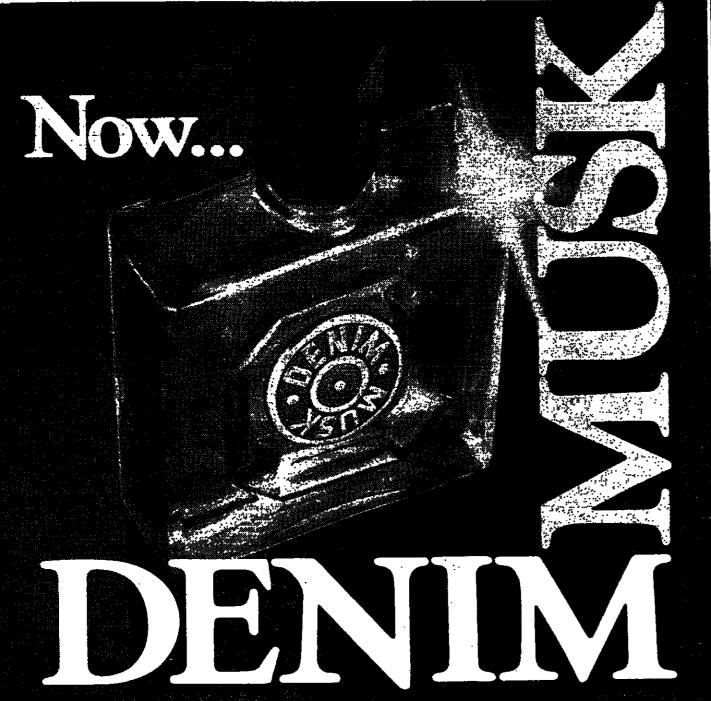
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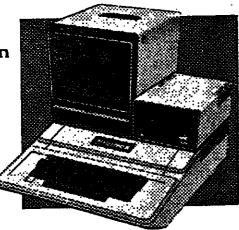
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PEACE MISSION

King Fahd has undertaken a noble task by visiting Algeria on a mission of peace and reconciliation in the Arab and

Algeria is a party to the lingering dispute over the Moroccan-controlled Sahara which was retrieved from Spain in 1975. Since then Morocco and Algeria plus Libya have been fighting over it through a real bloody dusty war with few other Arabs bothering to mediate or even trying to do so.

The other major conflict involves Iran and Iraq and Algeria has been trying to find a basis for ending it and starting the lengthy process back to a peaceful settlement. So far Algeria -has made little headway because of the extremism of the Iranian leaders and their insistence on improbable conditions.

Saudi Arabia and Algeria are eminently qualified to begin the Arabic Islamic process of finding peaceful formulas to end such costly and senseless wars.

REWARDING CRIMINALS

Former U.S. Secretary of State Alexander Haig is in Israel at the moment to receive an honorary doctorate from a university for his unstinted friendship to the Zionist state.

That he was a friend of Israel is not in question and if he goes into occupied Lebanon, and specially the Palestinian camps of Sabra and Shatila, scene of recent massacres, he will certainly demand and get a higher degree from his hosts.

If he also proceeds to see the amount of destruction and extent of savagery inflicted on the people of West Beirut during the siege sponsored by him, he will definitely deserve much greater appreciation by the Israeli universities and government.

Haig will also want to see the debris of buildings which turned into mass graves throughout Lebanon, thanks to his arsenals which he had loaned the Israeli Army for experimentation against the Arabs. When he has seen the devastation caused by his bombs which were expertly used by the Israelis he will be encouraged to apply not only for an honorary doctorate but the chancellorship of the university giving him

We wonder what prize awaits President Reagan.

Saudi Arabian press review

and Monday's newspapers com-mented on King Fahd's talks with Algerian President Chadli Ben-

Al-Jazirah highlighted the importance of the talks due to the political and economic weight enjoyed by Saudi Arabia and Algeria in the Arab and Islamic worlds. The paper said the two leaders would concentrate on the Arab League's efforts to resolve the Middle East conflict which threatened international peace and

, security. . Al-Yom said the talks would belp in strengthening bilateral arelations and promoting coordination and cooperation in several issues of Islamic and Arab interest. The paper stressed the importance of healing Arab rifts and confront confront oballenges and sabotage attempts roimed at destroying the Arab and "Islamic nation and the Islamic ! faith."

". Al -Bilad said the Arab nation owas optimistic that the outcome of the talks would help strengthen 'Arab unity and remove all obstacles facing the Arab nation's prog-

An Okaz said the talks would help

efforts aimed at strengthening Arab unity and preserving the Arab Fez summit's achievements. The paper noted that the talks would also consolidate joint Arab action in line with the summit's resolutions which it said supported the Palestinian people's legitimate rights, including an independent Palestinian homeland under the sole leadership of

Al -Riyadh said the talks would result in devising a unified and comprehensive strategy to "face the latest grave developments in the Middle East region." The paper noted that Saudi Arabia and Algeria were capable of undertaking any difficult mission. particularly to resolve peacefully Arab issues on a priority basis, and lauded their constructive role in OPEC and OAPEC regarding oil

production and pricing policy. Al -Nadwa said King Fahd's visit was basically aimed at unifying Arab ranks and mobilizing the Arab nation's potential to "defend the Arab common issue of destiny and to counter dangers threatening the Arab nation's existence." (SPA)

the Palestine Liberation Organization (PLO).

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Reading the Arab press, and watching the Arab reactions to U.S. policies, the political observer can-not but be dismayed at how little the Arab world knows about the U.S. political system, and how utterly ineffi cient is the Arab information apparatus, or what there is of it, as much in informing the Arab world about ngs American as in disseminating Arab affairs to the U.S. public opinion.

An exemplar illustration of that sad state of affairs

is the latest 'Reagan Middle East Peace Plan' and the responses it evoked in Arab capitals: Just as the Reagan plan bordered on the absurd, so did the official Arab response touch on the ridiculous. Hereinafter is a simplification of both and a synop-sis of what could be done to rectify them:

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mind-boggling figures, they seek public and private "contributions" from any and all sources willing to give them. Thus, special-interests groups organize

As most candidates cannot possibly afford such

Letter to the editor

Plight of Ogaden refugees

I write this to invite the attention of the world community, especially the Arab and Muslim countries, to the sad plight of some 700,000 Ogaden refugees, now living in Somalia. While the Somali government is doing everything possible to make life easier for them, that can only be a temporary palliative. The real solution lies in returning to them their land, now under illegal Ethiopian occupation, so that they can once again live in peace and honor.

But unfortunately, the world community has been rather apathetic to this great human tragedy. What is worse is that Somalia finds itself the target of a vilification campaign by the Soviet Union, Ethiopia and Libya just because it has taken upon itself the humanitarian task of helping a people who have lost everything and pleading their cause in

One can understand the wrath of Ethiopia and their mentor, the Soviet Union toward Somalia. While Ethiopia is still smarting under the severe drubbing it received at the hands of the Somali forces in the 1977-78 war, the Soviet Union continues to be peeved that it could not hold on to the strategically important Berbera. What passes one's understanding is Libya's stand in supporting Ethiopia and the Soviet Union against Somalia and

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themselves into individual PACs (Political Action Committees) which direct their "contributions" to the candidate or candidates that best suit their pur-

This is how the myth of the "Jewish vote" was concocted and how "Jewish campaign contributions" dazzle all candidates for public offices. After so many years of such manipulation of the system. the Israeli lobby has reached a virtual saturation point. In any electoral campaign, one can hardly find a candidate able and willing to take a stand against anything the Israeli lobby would not approve of So. too. is it almost impossible to find a congressman or a senator going for a second term who would dare challenge it, even if that were, as usual, not in the best interest of the United States

itself. In fact, it was this illicit manipulation of the sys tem by the Israeli propaganda machine that impelled the successive U.S. governments to forge this so-colled "U.S. special relationship with Israel". Though not decreed by any law nor regulated by any treaty, it has become and remained the inevitable stable where all U.S. governments and legislators had found themselves corralled.

The Reagan administration

The Reagan administration was neither an innovation in the style nor an exception to the rule; it, too, traveled to the White House in a luxury wagon drawn by various horses of different colors. Foremost among these were the Israeli lobby and those of U.S. capital. And that is where the Reagan administration went desperately astray even before

The personal relationship of Ronald Reagan to the Israeli lobby is an old and well-established one. When running for the governorship of the state of California, he solicited and received all the contributions he needed from it. In his not few runs for the presidency, he got deeper in debt to it and. thereby, more over-burdened with commitments. So much so, in fact, he irrevocably committed his administration as much to "the security" as to "the well-being" of "the state of Israel" and "Israel" proclaimed him its virtual "guardian angel" in the U.S. White House.

The other horse to which he had hitched his wagon was even more demanding. In exchange for its overwhelming support. Reagan was just as happy to oblige in kind. He is doing just that, and this is what is dragging America to the pits, as much at home as everywhere else abroad.

The backbone of U.S. capital is the U.S. military-industrial complex. After four years of attrition by the Carter administration, the Reagan administration found it in a shambles. Rehabilitating it. therefore, became his first and foremost priority. To do so, however, he had to extort the necessary funds, and these were not available except by cutting them from long-standing social services. To achieve such a public-aggravating task. he had, first, to create the international murky waters that would make such a calamity digestable. He did. Detente was cast onto oblivion, and a new era of neo-cold-war-ism was quickly put in place.

As could only be expected, this led to as many calamities in the U.S. as abroad: While, here, it soon created the teeth-gnashing depression in which the American people now writhe, it, also, froze U.S. relations with its West European allies. Where the Reagan administration sank to its lowest ebb was in its misconcept of and malconduct toward the Arab world. While U.S. capital knew only too well that, now, its very survival totally depended on the Arab world, U.S. militarists were unable to free themselves from the old British dicturn that the only way to keep the Arab world in line and, thereby, exploit it at will, could be achieved only by keeping its countless segments mutually antagonistic to each other and sustaining them all

under the ever-ready Israeli whip. These were two horses of different colors. Nevertheless, the Reagan administration resolved to mount them together at one and the same time. To accomplish this "mission impossible". U.S. Defense Secretary Caspar Weinberger laid his "golden egg", the so-called "U.S.-Middle East Strategic Consensus". This wild and strange hybrid called for the lumping together of both "Israel" and the Arab world in one single conundrum and stitching that to the U.S. military chariot so as to close the

southeastern gap which NATO had left open in the military "wall" with which it was supposed to encircle the Soviet Union.

To achieve that, the Reagan administration soon discovered, the Arab-Israeli conflict had to be ended, now and for ever. In their way to that impossible dream, there loomed two immovable obstacles: The military prowess and strategic depth of Iraq, on one hand, and, on the other, the evergrowing military arm of the Palestinian resistance; and, swiftly, the Reagan administration made it its business to see that both were there no more: While Iraq was dragged into the blazing inferno of the war with Iran, and, thus, neutralized, Reagan quickly dispatched his Israeli proxy to do his dirty work in Lebanon. Once these two main thorns had been clipped away. Reagan quickly moved for the kill: year, he "endowed" the world with his "brainchild", - the so-called "Reagan Middle East Peace Plan".

The Arab response

The two most fundamental trends in the Reagan plan were: One, the ultimate extermination of the Palestinian cause; and, two, the ultimate compelling of the Arab world to prostrate itself at the feet

As to the Palestinian cause. Reagan arrogantly shunned the PLO as the representative of the Palestinian people. denied every right of the Palestinian people to any self-determination or national existence and, to add insult to injury, cornered King Hussein of Jordan, into the temptation pit of somehow re-annexing what "Israel" might spare of what is so haplessly dubbed as "The West Bank and

Even this tiny crumb that he threw to placate the Arabs irritated Begin who, equally, arrogantly announced that "Israel will never abandon Samaria and Judaea". "Solving" the "Palestinian problem" without even an "Indian reservation" therein could not possibly work. Begin, therefore, had to go. Reagan quickly summoned his ever-ready proxy. Shimon Peres of the Israeli "Labor Party", to Washington and handed him his instructions. Tempted by the mouth-watering bait of recovering power of his agonizing party. Peres was more than happy to oblige. He rushed back to Tel Aviv and "Jerusalem" and, with the help of the U.S. intelligence apparatus in "Israel", took his mobs to the streets. How long this will take is not possible to pinpoint. What all concerned must understand. however, is that, sooner or later, the Begin junta will vanish and make place for a new "Israeli peace government". This will cast some crumbs of Palestinian soil for the establishment of a Palestinian "Indian reservation" and this will be the excuse for the final peace-treaty-signing ceremony with many an Arab government. Once this has been accomplished, the Arab states would prostrate themselves at the feet of "Israel" and share their very national existence with it and its U.S. masters.

Though so, most Arab governments, including the PLO saw in the Reagan plan "many positive aspects". So much so, in fact. Arab heads of state huddled to an urgent "Summit" in which, though not saying so publicly and in plain, words, they virtually approved of the Reagan plan and selected a committee to come to Washington and pay tri-

Once in Washington, the Arab committee was subjected to the most humiliating treatment ever inflicted on any visitor to the U.S. capital: First, the Reagan administration refused to see the committee because it included a PLO representative. Rather than pack up and go however, the committee locked its Palestinian member in his hotel. Even with that, the Reagan administration was not yet happy. They told their guests in no uncertain terms that there was nothing doing besides recognizing "Israel" wholesale and forgetting about Palestine.

How ridiculous can ridiculous be? Such hapless conduct was made inevitable by the Arab presence in both the U.S. and the U.N. This is perhaps the most frustrating dilemma in the history of international relations:

In Washington, there are 21 odd Arab embassies. buttressed by a PLO "Information Office" and an Arab League Central Office. With the exception of a precious few exceptions, usually emanating from some distinguished wives of Arab diplomats. -

especially Mrs. Nuha Hujeilan, brilliant wife of the Saudi ambassador, there is little there to brag

Here in New York, there are, too, 21 odd Arab "missions," one PLO observer mission, and a huge Arab League office, captained by the one and only Ambassador Clovis Maksoud. All in ali, they don 26 ambassadors, some 129 other diplomats and 2 horde of local employees in the hundreds. While their countless limousines are indeed impressive and their secret budgets staggering, observers cannot possibly fathom what they all do besides populating the Delegates Lounge of the U.N.

In fact, they do much more. Besides being inept. inefficient and incapable, they, too, are embarked on a relentless, cut-throat war of attrition against each other.

From here whereto?

Why? Why do things have to be this way? Such sad state of affairs is neither logical nor becoming; it is both ridiculous and self-defeating. The Arab world is the very cradle where civilization was born; so is the Arab cause the noblest any nation has ever claimed. So, too, and notwithstanding the self-serving callousness of the successive U.S. governments, the American people are one of the noblest and most fair-minded any one could possibly find anywhere.

Moreover, and though Arab-American relations have, so far, been nothing but a plague on both houses, there is every reason for a totally fraternal and mutually beneficial Arab-American intercourse. All that is needed is the inevitably necessary and long overdue mutual understanding of each of these two great nations of the other. - and this is not two formidable a task to perform. Today's means of communications are splendid; and the Arab world is blessed with all manner of wealth and all kinds of prosperity. All that is needed is the political resolve to appeal its cause to the American people and the instruments with which to do so

Even if such noble task could not, for the moment, be achieved on a pan-Arab dimension. any one single Arab state could achieve it alone. The secret formula is secret no more: Once educated on the Arab cause, the American people will never allow their governments to continue fumbling on this self-defeating path. The illustrious example of Vietnam is more than an eloquent statement to the verity of this historic fact,

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Tuesday, Nov. 23rd, the 327th day of 1982. There are 38 days left in the year. Highlights in history on this date:

1499 - Perkin Warbeck, pretender to English throne, is executed. 1531 — Peace of Kappel ends second civil war in Switzerland.

1844 — Duchies of Schleswig and Holstein are declared independent from Denmark. 1890 — Grand Duchy of Luxembourg is sepa-

rated from the Netherlands. 1891 — Deodorda Fonesca, first president of Brazil, is ousted by naval revolt. 1943 - U.S. forces defeat Japanese in Pacific

battle of Tarawa in World War II. 1967-Anti-American demonstrations erupt in Ankara, Turkey, as U.S. envoy arrives to try to cool dispute between Turkey and Greece over.

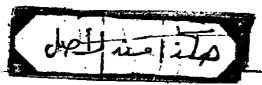
Cyprus. 1972 — Bolivia declares state of siege, and right-wing government says there was a conspi-

racy to overthrow it. 1977 - Israel parades tanks on its side of Lebanese border as warning to Syrian troops and Palestinian commandos to stay away from fron-

1979 — Planeload of 350 Americans leaves Pakistan for home on State Department orders following mob attack on U.S. Embassy in

Thought for today:

You shall not enter Paradise until you have faith and you cannot have faith until you love one another - Prophet Muhammad.



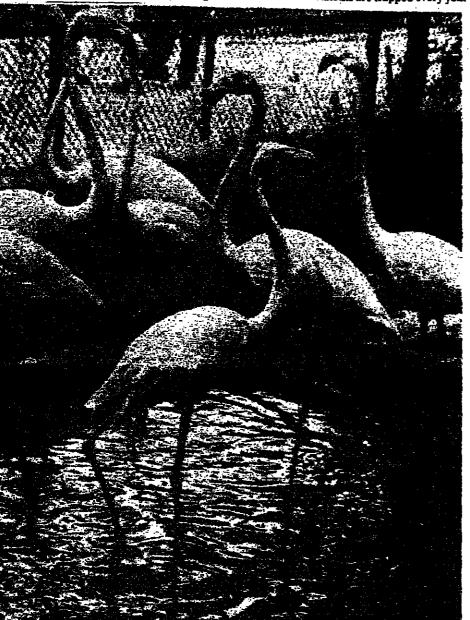
Lakes and hills provide havens

birds of Pakistan

KARACHI - The barred, spotted and tipped Pakistani cuckoo has found a new home in Karachi where a quarter century ago it was rarely seen. The increase in the number of cuckoos has not hit the headlines in the international book of birds. Yet the development is unusual, for Karachi is a thickly populated area where the roads are clogged with motor vehicles and the air is full of carbon monoxide. The environs of Karachi are mostly sand-dunes and dry rough

Their persistent calls beralds for him the ripening of the mangoes — a much relished fruit - and the onset of rains, a long awaited

The red-beaked Pakistani waxbills, whose plumage is stippled with white, have a peculiar habit: they turn their entire growth of feathers bright red soon after rains set in. These small twittering and singing creatures. which are erroneously called "fire finches". "tiger finches". "zebra finches" by bird sellers, are immensely popular as cage birds. Thousands of waxbills are trapped every year



AT HALALJEE LAKE: Flamingoes have taken to the Halaijee Lake in Sind as permanent

shingle-tracts except for some odd 90,000

acres on which vegetable farming thrives......
The experts think that the number of cuckoos in the metropolitan city has increased on account of trees that have been planted in large numbers here by the owners of guava 'cheeko' orchards and private bungalows. The call of the cuckoo can be heard almost everywhere in Karachi from April to November. The bird invariably lays its eggs in the nests of the crows of several hundred thousands in and around the

The Karachi cuckoos are among the twelve species found in Pakistan. Of these only the pied-crested cuckoo is a summer breeding visitor, the rest being permanent residents. Cuckoos and koels (rainbirds) may appear different to an ornithologist but to an average Pakistani they are one and the same thing. in the reeded and bulrushed estuaries and in the semi-wet grasslands of Pakistan.
The white-cheeked bulbul loved by poets

and frowned upon by snobs who dismiss it as an over worked poetic symbol. has a large ringing call. Echoes can be heard for long in the wildernesses where it inhabits the squat and low bushes, such as the ones found in the 1.100-square-müe Kirthar Range National Park. The park. however, is not known for bulbuls but the 5 000-odd Sindi ibexes which are now protected by law. The largest single population of bulbuls is concentrated in the Margalla Hills National Park which sprawls upon 48 square miles of the mauve and blue mountains that form a backdrop to the Pakistan's capital, Islamabad.

The park where a natural regeneration of forest has started after a ban was imposed on grazing some years ago, has seen a dramatic increase in the number of 'dedonea viscosa'

Korean stores in Baltimore become targets of gunmen

By Larry Rosenthal

BALTIMORE. Maryland (AP) - In the back of Chung's grocery, the police emergency number stands out in bold black letters on a crudely-made cardboard sign next to the telephone. When night falls in the poor, mostly black, inner-city neighborhood, the Chungs retreat behind a plastic shield to protect themselves from armed visitors, even before metal grating is pulled across the tiny storefront.

Despite the presence of often elaborate security systems, at least three Korean-American grocers have been killed here over the past two years. Many others, like the Chungs, were robbed. Police say it is not because of who they are, but where their stores are located, that Korean immigrants have been the targets of crime. But that is little consolation for more than 250 Korean families who put in 70- to 90-hour work weeks at their small stores, most of which are located in the inner city.

Now many of them are looking for a way out, despite efforts by city officials to keep them from leaving. "Today most Korean grocers are trying to find other suitable business," says Joon Kim, a grocer and president of the Korean Businessmen's Association.

At least seven stores have closed down during the past year and Kim says that the main reason for the shutdown is fear. But it is not the only reason. "It also a very hard life." he said through an interpreter.

Suk Burn Chung — no relation! to the Chungs — worked 12 hours a day, six and seven days a week, for six years before he was gunned down during a holdup at his small grocery store last November. He had hoped to bring his wife and six children to the country once his business was thriving. Once he wrote home to say. "I understand the problems of crime here. But I don't know what to do about it. It is very dangerous here and may be I should come back to Korea." his son recalled after the shooting.

Baltimore police are trying to keep the Koreans from closing their businesses. Last month, they offered a seminar for members of the Korean business community on how to guard against crime. More than 500 persons attended. "We are telling them, 'you can sur-

vive in the area. You don't have to be driven out." said sergeant Bill Lawson.who serves as a police liaison with the Korean commun-

According to Lawson, the language barrier and clash of cultures have added to the strains faced by members of the Korean community. "Ninety percent of the problems I deal with are misunderstandings," said Lawson, a community relations officer who investigates religious or racial incidents in the city.

Over the years, local Korean-Americans

have been portrayed as another in a line of immigrants succeeding through hard work. despite often adverse circumstances. Korean-American business leaders say the publicity has done them harm. "There's nothing to boast. We are struggling." said Hofurl Pak, a real estate agent who heads the Korean society of Greater Baltimore. "The Koreans are not so successful as is publi-

Greater Baltimore's Korean-American community has grown from a few hundred in the late 1960s to about 20,000 today and now represents the largest Asiatic group in the city. Most came from middle- and uppermiddle class families and many already had jobs before they arrived. That influx has virtually stopped.

Korean immigrants were attracted to the small neighborhood grocery stores because they were the cheapest businesses available and because they required little knowledge of English to operate. Some have been accused of exploiting the blacks who make up most of their clientele. Many of the Koreans live in the suburbs to take advantage of better schools and view the stores as a steppingstone for something better for their children.

Korean-Americans say they have had to fight a misconception that they have received some type of special financial assistance. Lawson said that in many cases, blacks have expressed the belief that the U.S. government gave the stores to the Koreans. "Many people think the Korean community is getting special funds from the American or Korean governments," said Pak, "This is not true. We tell them we didn't come with bare hands." he said, "Mostly the people are very educated, which is a big asset."

a frontline bush. It is this bush which the bulbuls of Margalla Hills find just the right thing to roost in. The valley of Sharan which is almost entirely alpine in character, and where the scenery can easily be mistaken for that of the Swiss or the French Alps. is the abode of a large song bird. This bird which sings almost continuously from suntise to sunset amidst the fir and pines of the valley. is called koel by local herdsmen; but it has in fact nothing to do with the koels, of the plains; it is altogether a different bird.

The most famous migratory bird which visits the plains of Pakistan from its parched and stony breeding grounds in Central Asia and Soviet Russia in July and August in large numbers, is the starling. The bird relishes the peepal and banyan figs and lantana and peclo

Pelicans of which there are two distinct species and spoonbills locally known as chamchas, can quite often be spotted in the marshes and wetlands of the country. Spoonbills like the demoiselle cranc - an autumn passage migrant - fly in 'V' formations lending a beauty of its own to the rural skyscapes in winter. The red-eyed and gray-plumaged demoiselle crane is easily domesticated. During flights, the bird utters a melancholy cry which can be heard for long distances. Kooni is so much a part of the rural scenes that nobody in Pakistan considers it an alien bird.

Black-tailed drongos have found a permanent residense in the siris and acacias on the rim of the 6.5 sq. miles of Halaijee Lake, one of the most famous bird sanctuaries in Pakistan. "The drongos collect at forest fires and fired grasslands to hunt the insects fleeing through the rising smoke." These fork-tailed birds are not an uncommon sight in Pakistan. About 30,000 coots visit Halaijee Lake every year. Flamingoes and purple moor-hens. however, have taken to the lake where their population stands at several hundreds now: they are the permanent residents of the sanc-

The large pin-tailed sand grouse is both a winter migrant and a passage bird. Sand grouse of some species have the peculiar habit of returning to the same spot from where they rise, and at least some are known to wet their wings in the water holes to return to their nests to cool their eggs. During flights they look like massive gray clouds when they come to this country from their home in Central Asia. But for the loud calls which sound like the gingling of tinkle-bells in the vast countryside, the birds may easily be mistaken for swallows.

Swallows of which there are plenty, are seen hovering over waterways, the surfaces of lakes and rivers. I have seen a dozen nests of these birds upon a rock four feet above the ground on the bank of River Indus at Tarbela where the birds had painstakingly collected mud and had made their nests. The only swallow that was present in the nest at the time was dead, as if it had built the nest only to die. Its plumage was still fresh, When it had exactly died is difficult to tell. I have also seen swallows swooping down and hovering over the sprays from a small waterfall in Chitral. the northern most district of Pakistan.

Guinea fowls and golden pheasants, which are both alien birds, are reared in captivity with increasing success. The World Pheasant Society has started a program for the rehabilitation of Chir pheasants in the Margalla Hills where the birds were once numerous but have since been wiped out by man. Peacocks can be seen almost anywhere in Pakistan. Some have been spotted recently in the artificial eucalyptus plantation at Khipro. Sind. but their largest concentration is in the Salt Range in central Pakistan.

Gerebs - which dive into the water even before a shot is fired at them - shovelers. plovers, pipits, snipes, lapwings, pintails. pecwits, merganser, mullards, swans, jacanas, curlews, ibis, bitterns and teals can he spotted in any wetland in the plains.

Eagles - of which there are ten resident species - harriers, falcons, kites, ospreys and vultures are a familiar sight in the wildernesses. The barn owl too is not uncommon. More than 14 types are found in the plains and mountains. Pakistani falcons are exported in ever-increasing numbers to the Gulf states. Ring-pecked parrots and parakeets remain. however, the favorite cage birds both at home and abroad. Quails, finches, grackles and mynahs too are prized as cage birds.



Greeting cards for a cause

MANILA (Depthnews) - Marketing initiatives in New York City are facilitating the revival of the two centuries-old craft industries in Nepal. The industries are paper making and wood block printing, and by combining the two into a greeting card industry, the United Nations Children's Fund has found a receptive audience in the U.S. and guaranteed the sale of an initial 500,000 cards next year.

Low-income rural families, which usually produce small quantities of paper from the bark of the Himalayan daphne bush between rice crops, have been encouraged to step up production. Urban printers have also been asked to cut and stamp the paper with native designs, using traditional wood block methods. Samples of their work have sold like the proverbial hot cakes during market trials in the U.S. this year; and it appears likely that the 300 rural and urban families involved in the opening phase of the project, might double their per capita income from future sales.

Even more promising from UNICEF's point of view is a decision by the paper and card makers to channel their profits back into community development.

Baseline studies have been completed in the Baglung. Parbat and Dolakha districts to identify community priorities for health and sanitation services, drinking water, education and women's development. A water supply project in Parbat will greatly reduce the time women spend carting water and a community center which is now under construction, will be used for health and nutrition training and preschool activities for children.

Small farming groups will be shown improved paper making techniques, and will be trained in accounting and marketing principles. Miss Kathy Peterson, who has recently completed work on a promotion film for the project, said during a recent visit to New York that the underlying focus of the training was to help rural groups gain better access to institutional credit and acquire skills which could be applied to the management of their basic community services as well. She said that UNICEFs office in Katmandu was working with the local Four H Club and Jaycees in nearby Bhaktapur to develop similar organizational structures for printers and their families

The printing unit in Bhaktapur has formed a day care committee for the children of working mothers and the factory intends to support a day care facility in cooperation with a national teacher training program. Miss Peterson said the printing unit would also take part in environmental

sanitation and health education programs. Nepal's greeting card project grew of a proposal by UNICEF's executive board to encourage card production in developing countries. Eigil Christensen, chief of the New York Greeting Card Operation, visited India, Nepal and Pakistan in 1980 and reported that the traditional labor-intensive techniques of all three were capable of producing designs and textures with wide international appeal. UNICEF has helped with start-up capital and training, and the villagers and townfolk have pulled together

to produce an operation with a wide range

of economic, social and environmental

Having generated the prospect of continued profits from Nepal's forests. UNICEF and the Food and Agriculture Organization have been able to persuade farmers to be more conservative in their harvesting and to begin replanting both the daphne and hardwood forests. The Nepalese forestry department is working to develop fuel efficient stoves for boiling the bark ready for pulping and UNICEF is looking at the prospects of using solar energy to help save scarce fuelwood. The organization is also investigating the use of appropriate technologies to ease the labor

paper production and to give the paper

makers - many of them women - time for

With 10 million fleeing homes

World seen less hospitable to refugees

By Anthony Goodman

UNITED NATIONS (R) - The world is becoming less and less hospitable toward telugees, according to the United Nations body responsible for trying to ease their

The U.N. High Commissioner for. Refugees (UNHCR), Poul Hartling, says some 10 million people, mostly in Africa and Asia, are seeking asylum after leaving their own countries. There are indications that governments in different areas of the world are adopting an increasingly restrictive approach in granting durable asylum and in identifying persons to be regarded as refugees of concern to the international community." annual report.

This might be due to the continuing flow of refugees, which had led to public hostility toward them in some countries, he said. Another factor was the world recession, which had encouraged the view that all aliens, including refugees, were potential com-petitors for limited or decreasing economic opportunities.

The UNHCR is particularly concerned about violations of the principle of non-refoulement — a legal term meaning that refugees should not be forced to return to countries where they are in danger of persecution or worse. But the strictly non-political body, which has overseen international refugee relief and resettlement efforts for 31 years, steers clear of pointing an accusing finger at governments whose cooperation it might need and says little about the political causes of the flow of refugees.

Its report on the year up to last April said Africa alone had some five million refugees

and displaced persons last year, particularly in the Horn and Sudan. Many were the victims of fighting between Ethiopia and Somalia, while others fled unrest in Uganda, Chad and other countries. In Asia, Pakistan has well over two million refugees from neighboring Afghanistan, who fled after the December 1979 Soviet military intervention in their country.

In Southeast Asia, where the exodus of "boat people" from Vietnam dramatized the refugee plight in the 1970s, 230,000 fugitives from Indochina were still awaiting a lasting solution, the report said. About 100,000 people entered countries of first asylum in the region, chiefly Thailand, last year while some 120,000 were resettled in third countries.

sing the South China Sea in small boats, had shown no sign of abatement, the UNHCR reported, though coastal states had taken whatever anti-piracy measures they could. About half of those who succeeded in reaching other countries by sea "had fallen victim to physical assault and robbery in the course of their flight," the agency said. Numerous cases involving murder and abduction were also recorded.

What is more, an unknown number of other refugees is believed to have died on the high seas from other causes, such as drowning and starvation." Elsewhere in the South Asia region and in Central America, refugees were shot down - sometimes by the hundreds while trying to reach the safety of a refugee camp, the report said.

In Latin America, there were 280,000 refugees at the end of last year, including 180,000 from El Salvador. An increasing number of Guatemalans and Nicaraguans There were 589,200 refugees in Europe, with a substantial increase in the number of Poles seeking asylum, the UNHCR said, though it did not mention the political upheaval in Poland that sparked the exodus to the West.

Memoirs of Jimmy Carter

By Muhammad Azhar Ali Khan

During his one term in office. President Jimmy Carter was known more for his folksiness and human rights concern than for charisma or political acumen. After all, he was virtually an outsider and came from the South. His book - published this month. enables us to understand better Carter, the U.S. political process, other foreign leaders from Menahem Begin to Anwar Sadat, and the role that fate plays in shaping the destiny of men and nations. The book makes it clear that Carter's goal

in the Middle East, shared by Anwar Sadat

though not by Begin, was not merely a peace treaty between Egypt and Israel but a com-prehensive peace agreement. As for the shape the final agreement was to take. Carter's thinking is remarkably close to that of his successor. Ronald Reagan. The former president is also for the withdrawal of Israel from the occupied Arab territories but not for an independent Palestinian state. Like Reagan. Carter also is an advocate of a Jordanian-Palestinian federation. More than anybody else, Iran's Ayatoliah

Khomeini was responsible for Carter's fall though Begin too contributed his mite. If Begin had been as keen on an overall peace treaty as were Carter and Sadat, an acceptable peace settlement might have emerged rather than just an Israel-Egypt accord. That, in addition to resolving a decade-old conflict. would have been a real feather in Carter's

Carter says he saved the U.S. from a "disaster" by getting his energy program enacted and from a historical injustice by signing the Panama Canal treaty accords. He made possible the visualization of a Middle East peace and the SALT II agreement he signed could have been a first step toward disarmamen (the treaty was killed by the Soviet invasion of Afghanistan). The U.S. didn't go to wa during his presidency, and his human right campaign raised hopes for millions all ove the world. These are the achievements Carte himself has listed in the book. But he con cedes that his goals couldn't be reachebecause he had only one term. Carter men tions the intervention of some external factors which worked to his detriment like the Iraq-Iran war. Negotiations with Iran wen producing satisfactory results and toward solution when Iraqi troops moved into Irar delaying the release of hostages and frustrat ing Carter once again. The hostage releas might have given Carter another term in th White House and this in turn would have enabled the outsider to Washington to builon the base of the first four years, The book also brings out the awesom-

power of various lobbies in the U.S. like the media - and the unfair practices indulged i: by it. Richard Nixon discovered that in hi term. So did Jimmy Carter when his brothe Billy Carter was mercilessly hounded. Thi book gives Carter's side of the episode an shows Billy as the victim of a campaign t discredit and dstroy him. It is an absorbing informative book.

Keeping Faith, Memoirs of a president b Jimmy Carter, Bantam Books, 666 Fift Avenue, New York, N.Y. 622pp., \$24.95)



AUTUMN LEAVES: Cars parked in a street at the Bavarian capital, Munich, are covered with autumn leaves.

At Livermore laboratory

S. scientists work on N-bullet for clash

LONDON (LOS) — American nuclear weapons scientists have been told by the Senate Armed Services Committee to press on to the next generation of nuclear weapons. which will be more specific in their requests than any that have gone before.

The weapons are still concepts rather than engineering designs, but among those that might enter the nuclear arsenals in the 1990s are a nuclear explosive that could black out an entire country, a nuclear shell that is almost radiation-free, and an atomic bullet that could be fired from something resembl-

Development work on these and other ideas is going ahead at the Lawrence Radiation Laboratory at Livermore, California, the birthplace of many new weapons, including the neutron shell.

One weapon that could be used in an attack on an enemy country is an electromagnetic pulse, or EMP, bomb. This exploits one effect of a nuclear explosion that has long been known: the damaging effect of the radiation on electric current and radio communica-

An EMP bomb might be exploded 200 miles out in space. This would cause no direct damage on the ground but radiation from the explosion would interact with the ionosphere, the electromagnetic blanket around the earth some 60 miles up, to create something like a gigantic electrical storm.

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and radio communications over a buge area: it is estimated that three EMP bombs could black out the entire United States.

Another possibility is a pure fusion explosive. The hydrogen bomb is a fusion weapon but it uses an "ordinary" fission - or atomic bomb — as a detonator to create the intense heat necessary to make hydrogen atoms fuse explosively. Weapons scientists have long sought a way to achieve this fusion without using a fission bomb.

One possible way is with a laser beam. Usually lasers are generated by a huge and expensive apparatus, but some scientists envisage a compact device that could be put inside a nuclear warhead. It would produce a laser beam for a brief instant to create a fusion explosion.

It might even be possible to create fusion heat by a special configuration of high explosives. Progress toward this was claimed in a scientific journal recently by scientists in

A thermonuclear weapon that did not use a fission bomb as a detonator would produce very little radiation. It might also be cheaper to build than present-day ones, making it available to more countries.

The present neutron shell was designed as a battlefield weapon that would reduce material damage by maximizing lethal radiation and minimizing blast. Weapons scientists are now considering the possibility of a weapon that would have the opposite effect, maximizing blast and minimizing radiation. A nuclear bomb that maximized blast might be useful against military hardware, such as airfields or missile sites.

A weapon further in the future is one made of californium. This is one of the so-called transuranic elements: the elements that are heavier than uranium and, like plutonium, do not exist in nature but are created by some kinds of nuclear fission. At present, californium is produced only in minute quantities in laboratories.

It is very fissionable. Every fissionable material has a critical mass — the size of lump that will explode. The critical mass of californium would be much smaller than that of the two materials now used in nuclear weapons. uranium 235 and plutonium.

It might be so small that it could be fitted into something not much larger than a bullet. and have an explosive power of 10 or 20 tons of TNT. It could be fired from a gun carried by one man, or an artillery shell could carry undred of them. to scatter like buckshot.

The existence of weapons tailored to have precise effects such as these would have several consequences. They would make a nuclear attack appear more plausible, and therefore make countries more worried about a first strike by a nuclear-armed enemy.

stimulating a demand for countermeasure. They would also blur the distinction between nuclear and conventional explosives. and make it easier and more tempting to pass from using one to using the other.

By Peter J.

Steincrohn

Dear Dr. Steincroku: My doctor is a sweetheart except that at times he gets quite strict about not prescribing medicines.

I suppose I should be thankful he got me out of the habit of chewing

so many antacid tablets, and I've cut down on my consumption of espirin tablets for tension headaches. But what really spect me last week was his refusal to prescribe penicillin formy sore throat. He said it was an ordinary infection that

did not require antibiotics. He allowed four aspirins for two days. The sore throat went away. My question: What would have been wrong in prescribing the

in? — Mrs. D. Dear Mrs. D.: When antibiotics came into use they were soon being prescribed for everything. Doctors had a difficult time persuading their patients not to demand antibiotics for such simple infections as the common cold.

At last, most patients are aware that penicillin by mouth or injection will not help a cold. Nor does every sore throat require antibiotics which are so helpful against strep throats.

Be thankful, Mrs. D., that your doctor is aware that the use of untibiotics is often abused.

In a recent international meeting of scientists in Boston, they stressed the dangerous increase in the number of antibiotic resistant bacteria. One of the reasons is prescribing antibiotics for ailments for which they are ineffective.

What doctors want to do is not overprescribe antibiotics. Other-

M.D., F.A.C.P. wise, some day bacteria will thumb their respective noses at us when we are severely ill and require help to overcome infection.

MEDICALETTES

(Replies to and from readers) Dear Dr. Steincroim: I've been unpleasantly surprised by the news that a favorite uncle had a serious operation for cancer of the lung. I've been under the impression that blacks rarely get cancer. Is this

Dear Mr. N.: An article in American Medical News will help provide the answer to your question. Here are some quotes: "Researchers have known for some time about dramatic leaps in the cancer rate among blacks, but this awareness is just starting to trickle down to

"Recent remarks by L.D. Leffall, Md, former chairman of the American Cancer Society, suggest that such an awareness is the black population's best hope for dealing with a runaway cancer rate.

"In the last 25 years, the cancer rate for blacks rose 8 percent, while dropping 3 percent for whites. Virtually every major form of cancer, from lung cancer to cancer of the pancreas, shows up more often among blacks than whites. "Poor nutrition, a higher incidence of smoking and alcoholism.

and a concentration in more polluted work places may be factors as well. Not all the pieces of this puzzle are in place." (Tomorrow: Do we really need extra vitamins?)

Japan heads on whaling

TOKYO (LOS) — Japan has been given a stern warning to comply with an international ban on commercial whaling after 1986 or face fishing sanctions by the United States. The threat was made recently as Japan defiantly decided to file an objection with the International Whaling Commission (IWC) against the ban. Norway, Peru and the Soviet Union have also registered objections, and South Korea, Chile and Brazil may do so later.

The American ambassador to Japan, Mike Mansfield, had warned that if Tokyo went ahead with its objection, the U.S. Congress might refuse to ratify a new fisheries agreement signed with Japan in September.

In September, 66 U.S. senators sent a letter to Commerce Secretary Malcolm Balbridge urging him to invoke the Magnuson Act, which allows for the halving of fishing quotas in U.S. waters for countries that do not implement IWC decisions.

By lodging an objection, a nation is free from IWC sanctions until the objection has been dealt with. Japan catches more than a million tons of fish every year within the U.S. 200-mile exclusive fishing zone, mainly in Alaskan waters. The catch represents about

half of Japan's total distant fishing haul. Another U.S. act, the Pelly Amendment, gives the president discretion to prohibit the import of fish from countries that violate fishing conservation agreements. If invoked this would embargo Japanese fish exports to the U.S. worth \$222 million in 1981.

Although the Japanese government has publicly refused to "sell out" its own whaling industry, U.S. officials hope that it will eventually succumb to economic logic - or what Tokyo officials term American "blackmail."

Japan's objection states that the IWC ban decided in July, is based on insufficient scientific evidence of international whale stocks. and that it runs counter to the IWC's founding treaty for both protection and use of whale resources. It would put 1,300 Japanese out of work and would endanger the jobs of another 50,000.

Japanese newspapers have attacked the ban as an emotional decision by IWC countries and call it an "interference" in traditional Japanese eating habits. Last year Japan caught 5,205 whales, from which 20,000 tons of whale meat were produced. While insignificant compared to the 11 million tons of fish Japan catches every year, the whale catch is by far the biggest of all the present whaling countries.

However, a recent opinion poll of 2,000 Japanese by a private research body found that 80 percent agreed with an international ban on commercial whaling as necessary to protect Japan's international image.



Predicting infant's health problems

By Harry Nelson

LOS ANGELES (LAT) — By measuring body movements and breathing patterns of premature infants, two scientists believe they can predict which infants are at risk of developing serious health problems including sudden infant death syndrome during the first five years of life.

Research by Dr. F. Eugene Yates, director of the University of California, Los Angeles, Crump Institute for Medical Engineering, and Dr. Evelyn Thoman of the University of Connecticut has led to development of a crib mattress with hidden instruments to record the infant's movements and breathing patterns, they said at a news conference here

The pair also displayed a teddy bear that can simulate breathing. It is intended to

"teach" babies with dangerous breathing patterns how to breathe properly. Neither device can be marketed without government

approval, a procedure that can be lengthy.

Thoman, who has studied newborn's skeep and breathing patterns for 20 years, explained that scientists believe infants who are at risk of dying in their sleep are prone to periods of apnea - non-breathing - while asleep. It is believed that such abnormal breathing results because the brain, which controls breathing, has not yet developed sufficiently. By monitoring sleep and breathing rhythms of normal babies, researchers can better identify babies with defective rhythms.

However, before development of the instrument crib mattress and the electronic teddy bear, monitoring a newborn required long hours of observation or necessitated attaching electrodes and wires to the infant.

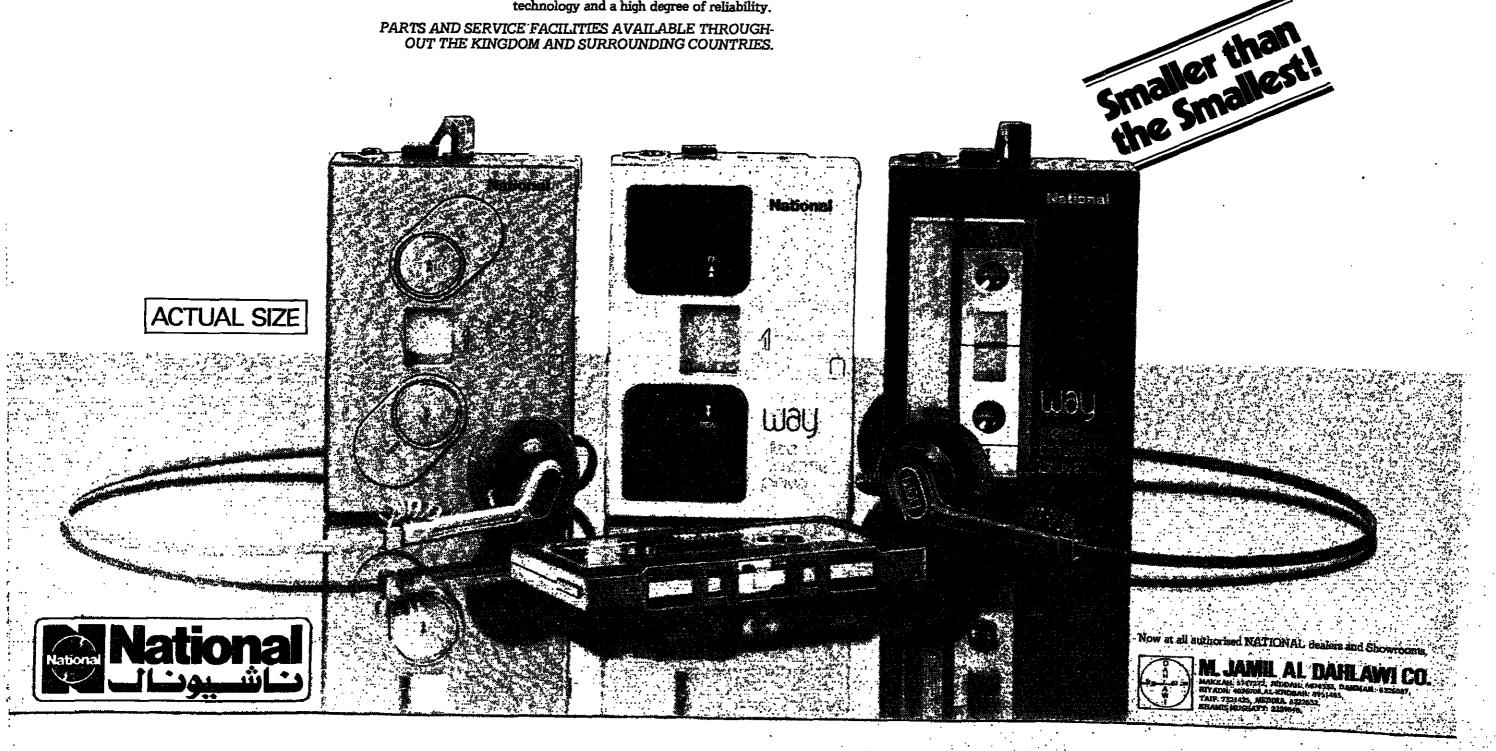
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Salvadoran rightists accused of killing 78

SAN SALVADOR, Nov. 22 (R) — A Salvadoran Catholic Church leader accused rightist death squads of murdering 78 civilians last week and weakening the prospects for ending El Salvador's Civil War.

Jesus Delgado, secretary of the Salvadoran Bishops Council, said Sunday that an upsurge in death squad violence was ruining the government's attempts to work toward a political reconciliation of warring groups.

Delgado said last week's murders included the beheading of nine civilians and the murdet of three youths pulled from the homes at midnight. "They (death squads) are showing us their cowardice and irrationality," he said. "They are gaining no victory."

Last week's paramilitary killings, the highest recorded in a weekly period since September, ran counter to the government's efforts to lure leftist guerrillas into the politicai process. Delgado said.

U.S. Ambassador Deane Hinton warned

Britons watch television less

LONDON, Nov. 22 (AP) - Britons are watching up to 21 percent less television than a year ago, according to latest figures from the broadcaster's Audience Research Board. financed jointly by Britain's two national networks.

The average Briton spent 20.3 hours a week in front of the box last month compared with 23.1 the previous October, according to the board's findings. An even greater number switched off in September, watching an average 18.2 hours, compared with 23.1 in September 1981.

We may be seeing a broad sociological swing away from television, as happened to cinema in the 1950s," the London Sunday crack down on political violence here or face. suspension of \$212.3 million in projected U.S. aid next year. He said that as many as 30,000 Salvadorans had been murdered since Civil War broke out three years ago but less than 1,500 of these crimes had been prosecuted in court. To continue U.S. military aid to El Sal-

vador, the Reagan administration must certify to Congress in January that the Salvadoran government is making concerted and significant effort to improve its human rights

Delgado said the government could curb the death squad violence in December to give the appearence of a better human rights record.

But he said he felt paramilitary violence would jump in February after the Reagan administration issued its expected certification of an improvement here in human rights.

Times quoted Nick Philips, a spokesman for Beecham Products, as saying "I hope I'm

wrong." One advertising agency concluded that in . September only 57 programs had an audience of more than 10 million viewers, down from 118 programs last September and 142 in 1980. Britain has a population of 56 mil-

The Sunday Times said advertizers and advertizing agencies were concerned. But the audience figures could be distorted by video cassette recorders, now in 12 percent homes.

The statistics are based on monitoring mechanisms attached to 3,000 sets around

Anne sees no African food shortage

LONDON, Nov. 22 (R) — Princess Anne, president of the Save the Children Fund, said that she found no real food shortages during a recent African tour, only ignorance of how people should be fed.

The princess, daughter of Queen Elizabeth, toured Africa and the Middle East as the charity's president. She said on British radio there were no food shortages in Somalia and she had "found this all over". Basically there is plenty of food available.

One of the problems is ignorance in the balance of how to feed it, particularly in reference to children," she said. "Poverty as such is relatively mild. Mainutrition is not a basic problem unless there is a drought, then there is nothing to fall back on," she added.

Princess Anne, who returned from her three-week tour on Nov. 12, visited Swaziland, Zimbabwe, Malawi, Kenya, Djibouti, Somalia, North Yemen, and Lebanon.



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Tories ahead in new poll

LONDON, Nov. 22 (AP) - Despite a record 3.3 million people unemployed, Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher's Conservative Party has a 12-point lead over the main opposition Labor Party, an opinion poll published Monday showed.

The Marplan Poll for the liberal Guardian gave Mrs. Thatcher's Tories 46 percent of the vote, compared with 34 percent for Michael Foot's Labor and 18 percent for the centrist Social Democratic-Liberal alliance,

In the last Guardian poll exactly one month ago, the Conservatives' lead over Labor was 10.5 points. The poll meant more good news for Mrs. Thatcher, who is widely expected to call an election in the fall of 1983 ahead of the May, 1984 end of her five-year term.

British administrations traditionally lose support in mid-term, but Mrs. Thatcher's party has been riding high in the polls after the euphoria of victory in the Falklands conflict with Argentina.

"The strength of the Conservative position is shown by the way that the party has maintained its lead despite the absence of any good news on the issue which most concerns electors at present, the high level of unemployment," The Guardian said in response to

Most of the voters questioned believed high unemployment would remain for another five years and possibly much longer but shared the government's view that Britain's problems have been caused by the recession and are no worse than in other industrialized nations

Last week another poll, carried out for The Standard, London's evening news paper, presented similar ratings, with the Conservatives receiving 42 percent of the vote, Labor 31 and the alliance 23. When Mrs. Thatcher came to power in May 1979, her party took 43.9 percent of the vote against-Labor's 36.9 percent, sweeping in with a comfortable 44-seat majority. New class struggle seen

'Gang of four' man does business for jailers

China's "gang of four" radical leaders, imprisoned for directing armed clashes that left 13 dead, was let out of jail to engage in shady business deals for his jailers, China's

leading newspaper reported Monday. "This is a serious political case, a manifestation of class struggle under the new situation and a case of remnant elements of the 'gang of four' stirring up trouble." the Communist Party newspapers People 's Daily said. "Firm blows must be struck against them."

The Chinese press has reported a number of recent cases of punishment for leftist remnants from the 1966-76 "Cultural Revolution "when the "gang" presided over purges and factional fighting that severely damaged the party's image. The four now are in prison.

The 40 million-member party also has announced a three-year housecleaning, to begin next year, with expulsion facing members who don't measure up to standards even after political education. The **People** 's Daily said the "gang" follower, Yin Hsueh-li, had headed the "rebel

general headquarters war department" in Huainan in southcast China's Anhui province during the Cultural Revolution. It said 13 persons died in armed struggle that he planned and organized.

Yin was sentenced in 1980 to 10 years in prison, but this later was reduced to six years and he was sent for labor reform on a state farm, the paper added.

In May, it said, Lo Ju-fa, head of the farm's No. 8 production brigade, sent Yin back to Huainan to use his old connections to obtain coke illicitly for a factors at the farm.

Yin stayed at his home for 20 days, throwing banquets for fellow Cultural Revolution faction members, while two escort officers stayed at a hotel and joined the banquets, the People 's Daily said.

One former crony, Chang Hsiao-wu, head of the city's No. 1 light industry bureau, arranged "back door coke purchases and another official used deceitful methods to arrange for shipping the coke, it added.

The paper said indignant citizens complained: "What kind of labor reform convict is Yin Hsuch-li? he seems like he had won topspot in the civil service examinations and

come back as a high official." It said Yin was detained on a later trip to Huainan and additional punishment was recommended. It said Chang was expelled from the Communist Party and two other officials lost their posts within the party. Lowas given a serious varnage, it added.

Expulsion from the party is considered severe punishment in this country where party members are an elite. It has ordered that all "gang" remnants, people who have engaged in serious factionalism or political violence and those who oppose present party. policies must be removed from any leading positions they might still hold.

Nerves are a wreck, Lennon's widow says

LONDON, Nov. 22 (AP) - Almost two years after the fatal shooting in New York of former Beatle John Lennon, his widow, Yoko Ono, says she is feeling the pressure of life without him more than ever. "I was hoping it would ease but the trauma gets worse." she said in an interview published Monday in Britain's Daily Mirror newspaper.

"What kind of a life is it when a mother and son can't walk out alone together in a park"." she asked. Miss Ono and her son, 7-year-old Sean Lennon, are under constant protection. "Neither Sean nor I can go anywhere without a bodyguard," she said." Do you wonder that my nerves are a wreck?"

John Leimon, 40, gunned down on Dec 10, 1980, as he returned from a recording studio to his Manhattan apartment. Despite constant fears for her safety. Miss Ono said she had decided against moving.

"I couldn't think of anywhere I wanted to be more than here," she said in an interview in New York on the eve of a visit to Europe. And anyway, I've never run away from a

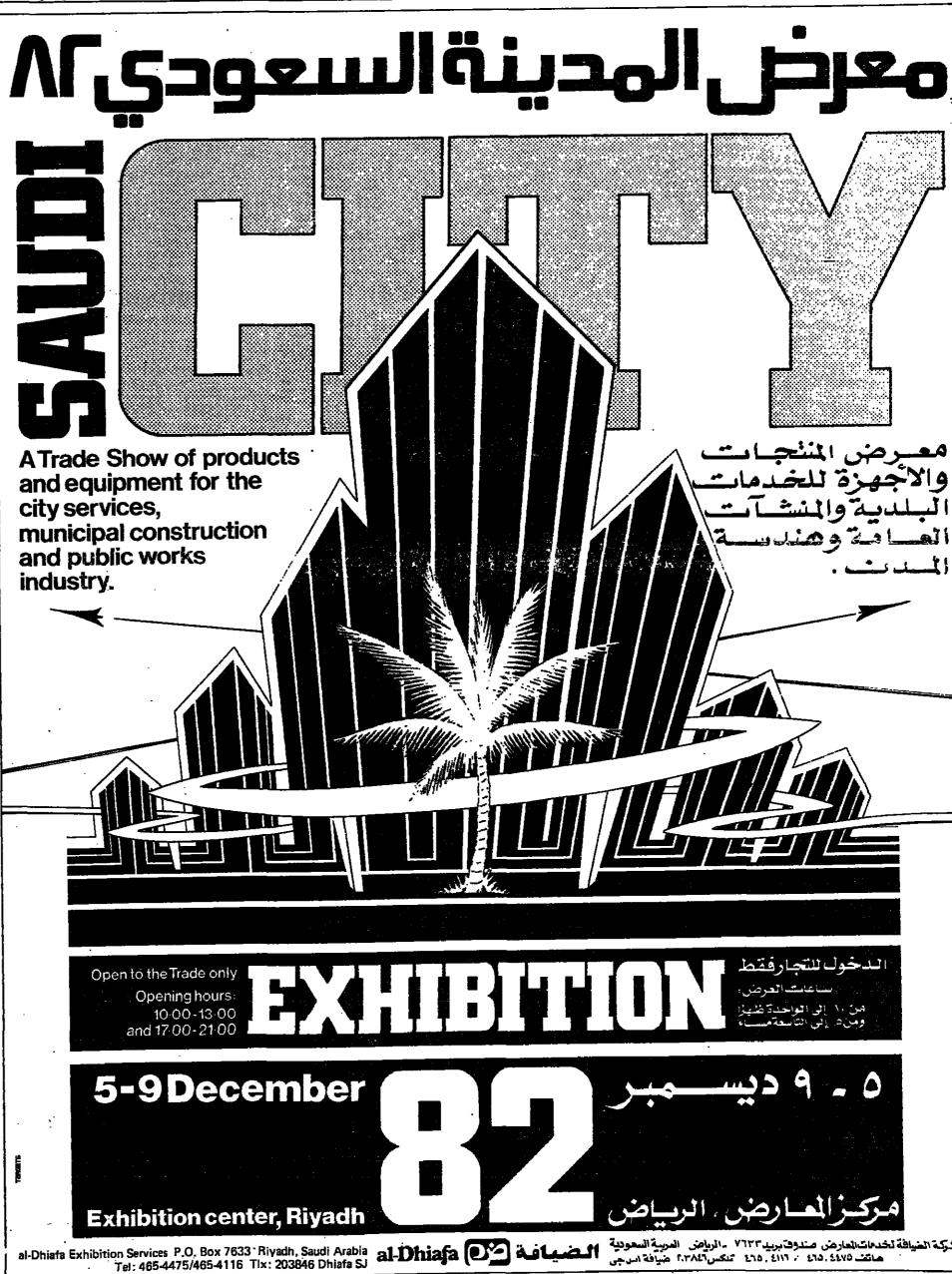
She said she and her son still weep frequently for Lennon." The only way Sean and I can survive is by having a good cry quite often. We get rid of our sadness that way, she told the paper. Miss Ono. 49, said letters and gifts from Lennon fans all over the world had helped pull Sean and herself "through a

"Some widows follow their husbands and die, in a sense," she was quoted as saying.

Or they sit around the house in a black robe. 'I don't have to do that to mount the loss of John. I want to carry on with my life in a positive way ... I cannot live in the past. I think of the past 50 years as a probade to my

"I owe if to Sean to be a hardworking, viable, professional artist as well as a loving mother," she was reported as saying, But she was also quoted as complaining about talk of a new romance every time she is seen accompanied by an unknown male companion.

When John was alive, I could be seen in a coffee shop with a man and no-one would say a word. Now i can't go anywhere with any male company without people saying: "Is that the next one?" she said.



In co-financing deal

IMF calls on banks petrol price to lend Mexico \$ 5b 20 percent

tional Monetary Fund (IMF) has asked commercial banks to lend about \$5 billion to Mexico in a deal tied to an expected IMF loan, banking sources in New York said Monday.

The deal, part of a package designed to solve Mexico's chronic foreign debt probicms, would be the first co-financing arrangement between commercial banks and the fund and would thus represent an important departure from previous IMF policy, the sources said.

They said IMF Managing Director Jacques de Larosiere asked for new bank loans, which will be conditional on Mexico carrying out an IMF-agreed program of economic policies, at an unprecedented meeting with top executives of 18 major international banks in New York last Tuesday.

De Larosiere, who has publicly sought more cooperation between banks and the IMF to help countries in financial difficulties, said he would also ask governments to provide additional financial support to Mexico, the sources said. The IMF has tentatively agreed to lend Mexico, whose foreign debts total about \$80 billion, nearly \$ 4 billion

over the next three years.

Last week, U.S. Federal Reserve Board
Chairman Paul Voicker, citing the growing concern over the huge debts of some developing and semi-developed nations, including Mexico, which have created fears of a possible collapse of the world banking system, pleaded for a plan for lowering the strains that are so evident in the international arena.

In a speech prepared for the New England Council in Boston, the "Fed" chairman said that private institutions as well as national and international official agencies must work out some more effective methods of dealing with or preventing crisis.

He commented that "monetary authorities have neither the capacity nor the authority to substitute short-term central bank credit for needed medium — or longer-term financing", such as could come from the International Monetary Fund, and he urged an increase in the IMPs lending ability and establishment of an IMF fund to help countries with big debts avoid defaulting on their

U.S. jobless rate seen at 10%

NEW YORK, Nov. 22 (R) - U.S. unemployment, which reached a postwar peak of 10.4 percent in October, is likely to linger around 10 percent for much of 1983, U.S. economists said.

Their forecasts stem from a widespread lowering of projections for economic growth

Commerce Undersecretary for Economic Affairs Robert Federick said Friday real

Caracas disfavors oil price change

CARACAS. Nov. 22 (R) — Venezuela will seek to maintain the current basic price structure for crude oil at next month's OPEC meeting in Vienna, Venezuelan Energy and Mines Minister Humberto Calderon Berti

"To maintain the price of crude at \$34 a barrel in 1983, and if possible in 1984, would be the best way of boosting demand," he told

He said he expected the Vienna meeting to center on disagreements over price differentials between the Gulf and African producing

gross national product could decline in the current quarter but four percent growth was possible in 1983. Economists increasingly

view this forecast as optimistic. Economists at the securities firm of Aubrey Lanston and Co commented "most credible forecasts of real economic growth for 1983 as a whole have been revised downward to two percent or below, far short of the pace required to create enough jobs to reduce the already lofty unemployment rate."

Few economists see the economy shrinking in 1983, in part because of a recent change in the focus of U.S. monetary policy.

The Federal Reserve is attempting now to surture a sustainable, non-inflationary economic recovery and is unlikely to risk aborting it by pushing interest rates higher because money supply growth is above target, they believe.

But growth is widely expected to be slow. Henry Kaufman, Salomon Brothers chief economist, said in a recent speech the initial stages of recovery will probably show growth at less than half the five to six percent rate typical of the first year of postwar recoveries.

Edward Yardeni, chief economist at

Prudential-Bache Securities Inc., said "we see a modest two percent increase in real GNP next year."_____



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Turkey hikes

ANKARA, Nov. 22 (R) — Petrol product prices were raised between 17 and 20 percent in Turkey Monday to match the falling value of the Turkish lira against foreign currencies.

An announcement in the government gazette fixing new rates set the price of medium grade petrol for cars a 102 lira per litter (56 U.S. cents) compared with 85 lira (46 cents) before.

Diesel went up to 68.60 lira (37 cents) per liter from 57.50 lira (31 cents) and fuel oil rose to 46.50 lira (25 cents) per liter from 39.10 lira (21 cents).

Since the last round of increases on June. the lira has fallen to a rate of 182 to the dollar from 162. This year Turkey will import 13.9 million tons of crude oil out of its total requirement of 26.1 million tons.

IAEA pins hopes on nuclear power

UNITED NATIONS, Nov. 22 (R) - Nuclear power remains the best source of electricity, the head of the United Nations International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) has

Director-General Hans Blix of Sweden, in a television interview in the United States, said many environmentalists were skeptical about nuclear power but every other power source, including coal and oil, caused some environmental harm.

As uncertainty mounts

Passport racketeers make hay in Hong Kong

HONG KONG, Nov. 22 (LOS) — Between the lonely hearts, the acupuncture specialists and the used cars, a new genre of classified advertisements is blossoming in Hong Kong newspapers. They might best be described as 'emigration services'.

They offer the colony's nervous Chinese population the prospect of a new nationality, a new passport and a new home away from worries about a takeover by the People. Republic in 1997, when the British lease runs

The United States and Canada, with large established Chinese communities, are first choice of the would-be migrants, and for the exceptionally wealthy and talented the moveis reasonably straightforward. A six-figure investment, the creation of jobs for local people, and an "investor" visa can be yours. If proposed legislation now before the U.S. Congress goes through, the number of such visas available to Hong Kong citizens will

increase from 600 to 3,000. Since Premier Margaret Thatcher's confidence-sapping visit, the consulates of the United States, Canada and Australia, which has similar investment incentives, have had a "flood" of inquiries.

If all else fails 100 of the wealthy can take up a bizarre offer from the Philippines: \$300,000 buys a passport, membership of an exclusive country club, and a slice of a race track to be built with the accumulated funds.

For the less than well-off, resourceful entrepreneurs and travel agents are offering a colorful assortment of schemes. "Live in America" is the bold headline on a quarterpage advertisement run for several days. An outfit based in Toronto, Canada, says it has 50,000 men and 50,000 women on its books who 'want to meet their ideal life-mate, and

that could be you.'
American and Canadian "singles." it says. will sponsor a visa, pay air fares and provide living accommodation. Canadian officials visited the prestigious address advertised and found a service flat and a post-box. "It is one of the most outrageous scams in years." said a consular officer here.

Also from Canada, this time from an enterprise in Willowdale, Ontario, comes the offer of a U.S. "L visa, easily convertible to a permanent visa after one year," price \$700. The official price of an L visa is a \$10 filing charge. Such visas are sometimes issued to executives transferring within a legitimate company and only by U.S. consulates.

Latin America too has become a focus of

attention: \$30,000 buys a tract of land and \$5,000 a passport. Until a few weeks ago Argentine and Brazilian passports were doing good business but the traffic was squashed after suggestions that a forgery ring was at work.

One travel agent says he can guarantee visas for Chile. Colombia, Ecuador and Venezuela, at sums ranging from \$250 to \$1,000. After entry an extension, and eventually residence, are promised. A Costa Rican representative visited Hong Kong recently touting 'retirement residence' visas.

Thousands of people have responded to these schemes. Some have been disappointed to find that, as travel documents for entry to third countries, their new "passports" are

European-Africa tunnel link on the cards

MADRID, Nov. 22 (AFP) - Prospects for a tunnel linking Europe and Africa under the Straits of Gibraltar within the next decade have emerged at an international seminar here.

After two years of study of the geological, seismological, topographical and economic aspects of such a link, a joint committee of Spanish and Moroccan experts presented a report here last Wednesday with a complete blueprint for the tunnel's construction.

The seminar, attended by top international experts, agreed with the report that a tunnel was preferable to a bridge. That plan calls for an S-shaped system of three tunnels, one for rail and two for automobile traffic, that would link Punta Paloma in Spain with Altares, Morocco, northeast of Tangiers. The distance between the European and African shores is 25 km (a little

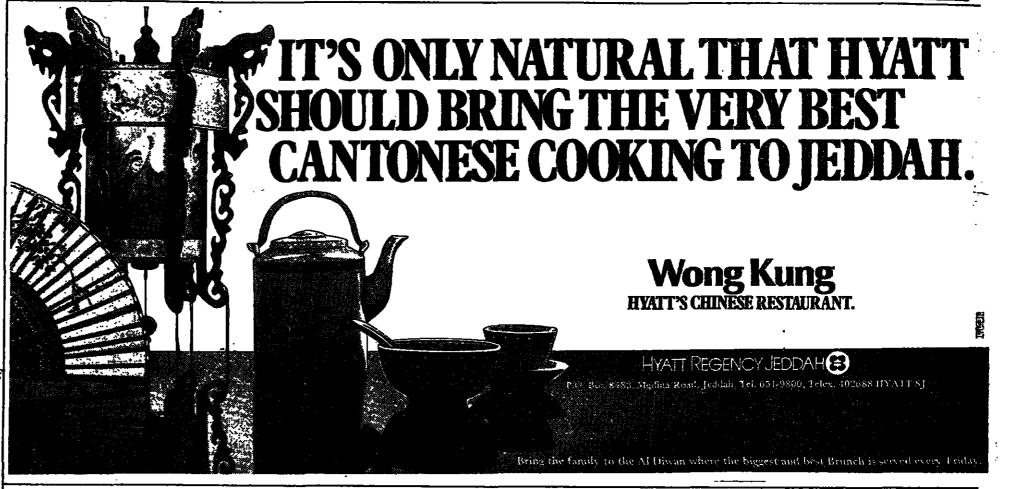
less than 16 miles).

In studying the main tunnel, which is for rail traffic, the experts pased their report on Japan's Seikan tunnel and that under the Straits of Mefsina linking Sicily with the Italian mainland

According to the project, the rail link tunnel could be built in five years' time, with the road tunnels three to four years later, as evacuation of vehicle exhaust fumes need further study.

Costs of the construction, according to Spanish and Moroccan officials could be rapidly recovered through toils seeing the

importance of exchanges in the area, According to the latest available statistics dating back to 1977, the number of passengers through the straits between Spain and Morocco was 700,000, and the volumne of goods 4 million tons.





T success vital, U.S. says

meeting this week must find ways of liberalizing world food trade, fighting off protectionism and extending free trade rules to new sectors if the conference is to be a success, a senior U.S. official said Monday.

The official, who asked not to be identified. said world trade would face serious problems if the session of the General Agreement on Tariffs, and Trade (GATT) did not make progress on these key issues at the meeting opening in Geneva on Wednesday.

GATT, the 88-member body overseeing the world's free trade system, could itself be in question if the meeting ended with only a weak pledge to avoid import-limiting measures, he added.

The official told journalists the U.S. considers it crucial that ministers agree to study five contentious issues - agriculture, protectionist measures, GATT's dispute settlement system, North-South trade relations and trade in services such as banking and insurance which are "invisible exports"

"If you don't do any of these - and few have been achieved yet - then I think you will have a terribly, terribly serious prob-

The conference, the first ministerial GATT meeting for nine years, was originally intended to produce strong stand against current protectionist pressures. But disagreements. among members producing a declaration for ministers to approve have resulted in a document which falls short of early hopes.

The world recession has led to unemployment in export industries and countries are under pressure to save jobs by keeping out imports from low-cost foreign producers.

The European Economic Community has opposed an American proposal that GATT study agricultural trade with a view to disciplining it, and the Third World has resisted another U.S. idea that GATT study the extension of its rules to cover services and

Lisbon's entry into EEC hit

BRUSSELS, Nov. 22 (R) - France effectively blocked negotiations between the European Economic Community and Portugal on farming Monday and Britain attacked a proposal to increase Common Market spending when Spain and Portugal join the EEC.

Diplomats said statements by the two countries at a meeting of Common Market foreign ministers set new hurdles in the way of enlargement of the community from 10 to 12 members.

The French deputy foreign minister, Andre Chandernagor, said France wanted phased integration of Portugal into the community agricultural policy to protect French farmers against a sudden flood of cheap imports.

His statement dashed hopes of progress on this issue at a negotiating session between the community and Portugal later

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high technology trade.

Commenting on the opposition, the U.S. official said: "If the organization refuses to even study an issue, it has to make you wonder what its basic function is."

Washington was considering several ways to react if the ministers failed to agree that GATT should conduct several studies in the next two years, he said. But any decision on them would have to wait until the final result of the conference was known.

The United States and some other GATT members feel the European community's agricultural policy, with its heavy subsidies to its farmers, leads to excessive exports which push out their own farm products.

U.S. officials have threatened to flood the world market with \$2.9 billion of stocked dairy products if no agreement on agriculture is achieved here. Although the European community originally agreed in preparatory meetings to a two-year study of members' policies, subsidies and import restrictions, it said last week it felt the powers of a proposed GATT agriculture committee were too far-

Developing countries have staunchly opposed U.S. proposals to study liberalized trade in services such as banking, transport and communications arguing that GATT is not the forum for such issues

The U.S. idea of North-South negotiations, which would bring the fastest-growing Third World states closer to the level of tariffs industrialized states have in GATT, also met stiff opposition from Third World members.

OECD oil consumption dips by 3.5%

PARIS, Nov. 22 (AP) - Oil consumption in the 24-member countries of the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) fell by 3.5 percent during the first half of this year, the International Energy Agency (IEA) reported Mon-

The industrialized West and Japan consumed 725 million metric tons of oil in the first six months of 1982 compared to 751 million tons during the same period in 1981. the Paris-based IEA said.

Meanwhile, indigenous oil production in the OECD area showed an increase of 1.5 percent to 353 million tons in the first half, up from 347 million tons a year earlier.

The IEA figures show an increase of 9.6 percent in the amount of oil produced in the North Sea in the first half of 1982 61.4 million tons compared to 56 million tons last

At the same time, net oil imports to the OECD area as a whole fell by 12.8 percent to 437 million tons, compared with 501 million in the first six months of 1981.

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	Pakistani Rupee (100)	29.25	27.12
	Philippines Peso (100)		35.15
	Pound Sterling	5.51	5.49
	Qatari Riyal (100)	93.50	94.56
	Singapore Dollar (100)		156.40
	Spanish Peseta (1,000)	30.20	29.05
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Financial Roundup Dollar rates shed gains

By J.H. Hammond

JEDDAH, Nov. 22 — The dollar opened on a mixed note Monday in Europe and lost some ground against the major currencies by the close of business. The Japanese yen continued its strong drive against the dollar and traded at 255.00 levels from the 257.60 closing Friday night levels in New York.

The British pound continued to fall sharply, however, and once again reached the 1.5910 levels on Monday after Friday's stronger closing at 1.6170 levels. The pound was affected by reports in the Sunday Times that the present government as well as the Labor opposition party were not adverse to seeing the present pound's devaluation continue. What alarmed the markets, however, was the degree to which the government and the Labor opposition would go - with the latter saying that they would devalue sterling by 30 percent if they win the next general election. On Monday the Bank of England intervened moderately to support sterling but the pound was under continuous pressure all day.

In the bullion markets, gold and silver prices traded erratically within Friday night closing levels. Gold prices were traded within \$413 to \$414 an ounce and silver moved a few cents around \$9.70 an ounce. Dealers do not expect major change unless the U.S. discount rate is cutback further in New York on Monday night. The decision by the Federal Reserve Board to cut the discount rate by only 1/2 percent on Friday night has caused the markets to remain incertain and there is still speculation that

In the Eurodollar markets, dollar deposit rates eased by about 1/16 percent and then bounced back to close the day virtually unchanged with the one-year deposit at 10 1s - 10 % percent level and the one-month at 93/16-95/16 percent levels. Once again. the likely actions of the Federal Reserve are important in determining what happens to

U.S. interest rates in the short-term. In the local markets, rival deposit rates opened at Sunday closing levels of \$ 14 - 9 12 percent for the week-fixed and 8 V2 - 9 percent for the one-month JIBOR, Little trading activity was reported Monday with institutions preferring to deal in short-dated funds and overnight deposits. The close of business did not see any marked changes in riyal deposit levels and the exchange markets were also similarly quiet with spot rival dollar rate, trading around the 3.4403-08 levels. These were down over the 3.4408-15 levels for the previous Mon-

In Europe, the dollar cased back against the major currencies and the German mark closed around 2,5320 levels from 2,5480 on Friday. The Swiss franc was unchanged at 2.1740 levels but the French franc was up at 7.1750 levels from 7.1850 on Friday. Trad-

ing was generally directioniess. LONDON: (AP) - Closing gold prices (in

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AMSTERDAM (AP) - A one-day rail strike called to protest government plans for a wage freeze hit many parts of the Netherlands Monday, snarling traffic and forcing many commuters to stay home. Other public transport services also closed down in Amsterdam where no trams or buses were running, as well as in Arnhem and the northern city of Groningen.

PEKING (AP) - Communist China had 1.5 million individually-owned businesses last year, an increase of 3 times from 1979. the official Xinhua news agency has reported. Private business was banned for more than a decade as capitalist. The current leadership has decided it is needed, but to prevent charges of capitalist-style "exploitation" of workers, it has set strict limits on how many workers a private businessman called an "individual worker." may hire.

MADRID (AP) — Spain has reserves of crude oil and petroleum products for 80 days. oil sources have said. The sources said the Spanish reserves in the present week, without including those kept by the state oil monopoly Campsa, were 4.6 million tons of crude

oil and 3.7 million tons of petroleum products, totaling 8.5 million tons.

DUBAI (WAM) - East Germany will present one of its biggest expert shows in Duhai next Sunday, reported the United Arab Emirates daily Gulf News. The forthcoming exhibition comes close at heels to a successful Hungarian trade tair. The report quoted the director of the Dubai Chamber of Commerce and Industry. Abdullah Abulhoul, as saying that 14 East German companies will participate in the exhibition that will be held in the chamber's offices.

AMMAN (AP) - The Palestine Liberation Organization will set up handicraft factories here under an agreement announced Monday by Jordanian authorities and the PLO. The factories will be run by the PLO's SAMED company whose factories in Beirut. and nearby were destroyed or heavily damaged during last summer's Israeli invasion.

MANAGUA. Nicaragua. (R) — Sweden has given Nicaragua \$1 million to rebuild homes and schools destroyed in floods last May, finance officials have said.

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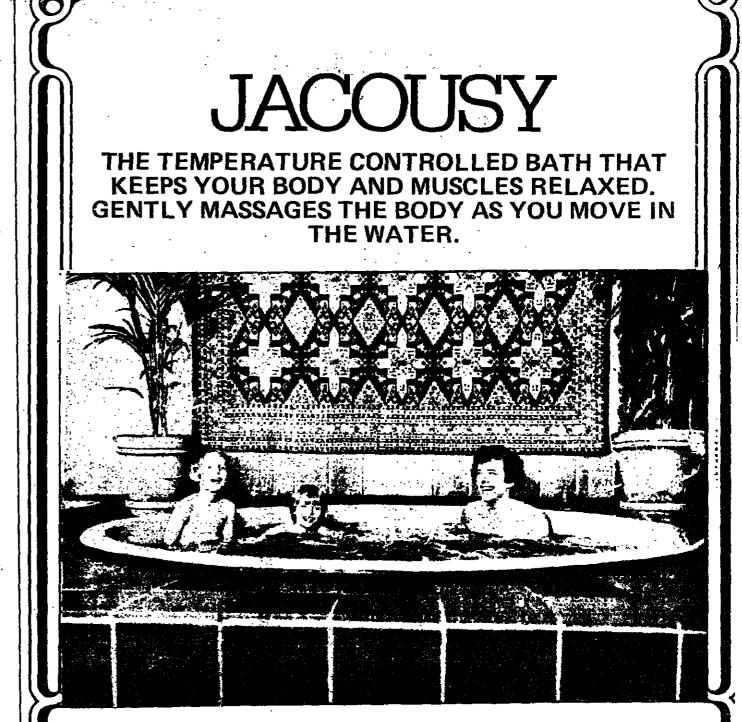
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The day belonged to rangy England opener

from Kent. Chris Tavare, who made 147 in

351 minutes with 21 fours and one six.

Tavare and Geoff Cook, who scored 77, con-

solidated their berths in the England Test

Derck Randall cracked 48 including six

fours as England revelled in the absence of

injured Test paceman Geoff Lawson, who

Spinner Murray Bennett bowled a mam-

moth 44 overs and took five for 123 including

the wickets of Tavare. Cook. Gower and

Randall. Paceman Mike Whitney laboring

with the old ball when McCosker used the

same ball for 120 overs took a creditable four

England commenced with one wicker

down for 73 and after a slow start Tayare and

Cook hit up a 135-run partnership in even

time for the second-wicket. It was a fine dou-

ble for Cook who had scored 99 in the first

England slammed 105 upto lunch and went to the break at 178 for one wicket. They put

on 104 in the post-lunch session against the

wickets for 60 from just over 27 overs.

lineup for Brisbane on Friday.

did not take the field Monday.

With three field goals

Schamann dazzles in Dolphins'fine win

 NEW YORK, Nov. 22 (AP) — Pittsburgh and Miami in the American Conference and Green Bay and Washington in the National Conference raised their records to 3-0 Sunday as the National Football League season resumed after an eight-week strike.

The Los Angeles Raiders can match the Steelers, Dolphins, Packers and Redskins Monday night when they face the San Siego Chargers.

Terry Bradshaw, Pittsburgh's quarterback, overcame a string of 12 consecutive incompletions with three touchdown passes, 17 yards apiece to tight end Bennie Cunningham and running back Greg Hawthorne, and 27 vards to Jim Smith as the Steelers defeated Houston 24-10.

Uwe Von Schamann's 21-yard field goal 1:51 into the fourth quarter gave Miami a 9-7 victory Buffalo Bills. He also kicked field goals of 42 and 29 yards in the second quarter for the Dolphins.

. Eddie Lee Ivery's diving end zone catch of a:Lynn Dickey pass that bounced off fullback Gerry Ellis' hands put Green Bay ahead of Minnesota, and Maurice Harvey scored on a 25-vard run with a recovered fumble to help build the Packers' lead in their 26-7 rout of the Vikings.

Joe Theismann threw touchdown passes covering one yard to Otis Wonsley and 39 yards to Charlie Brown as the Redskins built a 21-3 halftime lead en-route to their 27-17 victory over the New York Giants. The loss dropped the Giants to 0-3 and severely damaged their chances of making the 16-team playoff field this year.

Also at 0-3 following Sunday's action are Baltimore, the Los Angeles Rams and Fampa Bay. The New York Jets shut out the Baltimore Colts 37-0 as Freeman McNeil rushed for 123 yards and two touchdowns, and Richard Todd tossed two scoring passes.

The Rams were in pre-strike form, building an early lead, then squandering it as they had done in the season opener against Green Bay. This time they led Atlanta 14-0 before lòsing 34-17.

Reserve fullback Robert Newhouse dlowed in from the three to propel the Cow-Hoys past Tampa Bay 14-9. Their other thuchdown came on Dancy White's ninevard pass to Drew Pearson, wiping out ampa Bay's 6-0 lead.

In New Orleans, Ken Stabler completed 13

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of 18 passes for 126 yards and a touchdown and the Saints also got a touchdown pass of 15 yards from Guido Merkens to reserve running back Wayne Wilson on a fake field goal en-route to beating Kansas City 27-17.

The Chicago Bears spotted Detroit a 14-3 lead on two interceptions, one of them run back 35 yards by Ray Oldham for a score, then rallied to beat the Lions 20-17 on John Riveto's 18-yard field goal with five seconds left. Jim McMahon, who passed 44 yards to Emery Moorehead to set up the field goal, threw touchdown passes of 11 yards to Ken Margerum and 28 yards to Moorehead.

Matt Bahr's 24-yard field goal on the game's final play, following a New England fumble, gave Cleveland a 10-7 victory over

the Patriots.
Jim Zorn, who lost his job as Seattle's starting quarterback under the Jack Patera regime, regained it under Mike McCormack. the Seahawks' new head coach, and Zorn rewarded McCormack with a 34-yard touchdown pass to Steve Largent with 49 seconds to play to beat the Denver Broncos.

Joe Montana shook off the effects of a costly fumble and an interception to toss three second-half touchdown passes and propel San Francisco past St. Louis. The passes covered 6 yards to Russ Francis, 33 to Dwight Clark and 17 to Earl Cooper in a 13-minute span.

Three field goals by Jim Breech and linebacker Reggie Williams' safety sack of Philadelphia quarterback Ron Jaworski helped Cincinnati build an 11-0 halftime lead, then Ken Anderson passed two yards to Dan Ross as the Bengals withstood a late charge and beat the Eagles 18-14.

Meanwhile, attendance was down and some fans claimed the performance of players was off Sunday. In Atlanta there were only 39,686 people in the 60,000-seat stadium for the game between the Falcons and Los Angeles Rams. Ticket scaipers, who usually try to sell the scarce \$13 tickets at a high profit, were selling them for as little as

Around the league, there were 115,586 no-shows — ticket holders who didn't go to the games - and 88,989 unsold tickets. That translated to about three-fourths capacity per

stadiums. The players' strike ended Tuesday with the signing of a five-year contract with the

Black Hawks soar past Red Wings

NEW YORK, Nov. 22 (AP) - A pair of power play goals by defenseman Bob Murray and sensational goaltending by Murray Bannerman Sunday night lifted the Chicago Black Hawks to a 3-0 National Hockey League victory over the Detroit Red Wings.

Eslewhere in the NHL, Marian, Anton and Peter Stastny combined for five goals to overcome Wayne Gretzky's three goals as the Quebec Nordiques skated to a wild 9-7 victory over the Edmonton Oilers. And Stanley Cup holders New York Islanders were also at the receiving end at the hands of New York Rangers. The Rangers won 7-3.

Brian Propp's third-period goal gave Philadelphia some breathing room and sent the Flyers to a 3-1 victory over the St. Louis Blues in another action.

While, Mike Krushelnyski and Tom Fergus scored first-period goals and Boston goalie Pete Peeters made them stand up in the Bruins' 2-1 victory over the Calgary Flames.

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CAPACITY CROWD: A capacity crowd turned out at Irving, Texas, to witness hometown heroes Dallas Cowboys put it across the Tampa Bay Buccaneers on the first Sunday of the National Football League since the players called off their strike. The Cowboys rallied to a

In RAC Rally

Hannu Mikkola sets the pace

YORK, England, Nov. 22 (AP) - Hannu Mikkola of Finland Monday held a lead of nearly two minutes after 23 special stages of the Lombard RAC Motor Raily.

The 40-year-old Audi Quattro driver, bidding to win the prestigious event for the fourth time in five years, had a tremendous tussle with his compatriot Markku Alenduring the night, but emerged on top as the drivers sped through the Welsh forests.

Alen, driving a Lancia, led for a spell during Sunday evening, but suffered from mechanical problems and slipped back to sixth midway through Monday morning. Ari Vatanen of Finland, driving an Opel Ascona, moved up to the second spot.

Mikkola's time after 23 stages was 2 hours 37 minutes 43 seconds. Vatanen was at 2:39.36, with another Finnish Opel driver, Henri Toivonen, third at 2:41.11.

Mikkola set the early pace and led for seven stages before Alen edged in front. Mikkola produced the fastest times on four of the first five stages. But then Alen began to come into his own and he turned a 21-second deficit after five stages into a 17-second lead after nine. Mikkola closed the gap to seven seconds on the next stage.

Brilliant Frenchwoman Michelle Mouton was in fourth place in the second works Audi Quattro. Tony Pond, Britain's top hope, crashed out of the event but escaped unhurt. The 36-year-old Londoner came to grief in the forest of Dean in his Vauxhall Chevette. Up until then, Pond had been nursing himself cautiously and was in 8th place after eight

Disaster struck in the next stage as the Rally moved into the southwest. He spun the back of the Chevette into a tree. British drivers Russell Brookes, Terry Kaby and Jimmy McRae all had problems when well placed. They took the wrong route on stage 10 and lost valuable time, slipping out of the top ten.
The first day of the Rally started in rain and

falling autumn leaves which combined to make the roads extremely slippery and treacherous.

To boost England

Tavare hits patient 147 overs. But the task will be infinitely harder

Tucsday.

SYDNEY, Australia Nov. 22 (AP) - New South Wales has the chance Tuesday to break a 20 years drought in international cricket matches against England at the Sydney Cricket Ground.

England set NSW a target of 333 runs half an hour before stumps Monday and is looking for its fifth successive victory over the state side since 1962.

And a fiery spell of two overs from Jamaican-born Norman Cowans put a doubt on the outcome in NSW's favor in the closing minutes of play. At stumps. NSW had lost one wicket for

eight runs in its second inning, with Test opener John Dyson not out six and nightwatchman Steve Rixon yet to score. Earlier. England were all out for 342. Cowans cracked Dyson on the left hand

with the second ball of his opening over and play stopped for several minutes as Dyson

Then the first ball of Cowans next over kept low, shot along the ground and bowled McCosker for one. NSW has three sessions Tuesday to get 325 runs to win, just over 100

runs a session. NSW was last successful in 1962 when England collapsed for 104 against Richie Beanaud, who took seven for 18 from 18.1

Score-board

Fall of wickets: 1-32, 2-167, 3-191, 4-309- 5-309, 6-319, 7-319, 8-339, 9-342.

Bowling: Whitney 27.3-6-60-4; Chappell 11-3-21-0; Holland 38-8-123-0; Besmett 44-13-123-5.

Pail of wicket: 1-2 Bowling: Cowans 2-2-0-1; Pringle 2-0-7-0.

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G. Cook c Wellham b Bennett
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NSW (2ND INNINGS)

S. Rixon batting

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depleted attack with Randali and Tavare sharing in 118-run partnership, Lillee doubtful Starter for Test
SYDNEY, Australia, Nov. 22 (AP)

Paceman Jeff Thomson has been recalled to the Australian squad for the second cricket Test against England starting in Brisbane on

Thomson has been brought back hopefully to partner Dennis Lillee, who must undergo a medical before his place can be confirmed. Young Queensland paceman Carl Rackemann has been placed on standby in case Lillee doesn't make it.

The 33-year-old Lillee limped off the Doonport Oval in Tasmania Sunday on two occasions, troubled by a painful right knee injury. The injury is believed to be a recurrence of a problem he has had with the knee for some time, and which led to the removal of cartilage tips after the tour of New Zealand earlier this year.

The 12-man squad named here Monday contains two changes from the side that drew the first of the five-Test series in Perth last week. South African-born Keppler Wessels replaces West Australian Graeme Wood.

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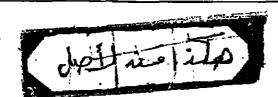
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Pakistan whips South Korea in Asiad hockey

India quells Malaysia challenge

By John Grasto
Special to Arab News

NEW DELHI, Nov. 22 - India's thrust in Asian Games hockey was magnificent Monday. More so because they were in the dumps against Malaysia. But what a sensational rally. Throbbing hockey, so much skill and

five goals to boot. For a glorious success.

Malaysia looked so formidable. They were full of fire. And incisive too. Colin Sta Maria. agilo and skillful Malaysian striker, under-lined their superiority with a 26th-minute goal. That furst half fury made India look insignificant. But adversity brought the best out of the Indian forwards.

Zafar Iqbal was the skipper in distress.

We had to do something to counter their crowding tactics. We had to slow down the pace and hold on to the ball for tactical manoeuvres". Zafar himself showed the way with his twinkling stick. He knew what India had to do, and they did it to leave the surging Majaysians limping when it was all over.

Pakistan continue to grow in stature they rapped South Korea 10-0 in an awesome display of striking power. Hassan Sardar, Hanif Khan and Manzoor Hassan were full of thrust. Three goals in two minutes early on knocked the fight out of South Korea. Pakistan have strong rivals to contend with in their crucial Pool: A' encounter with Japan, to see which of them finish at the top. Manzoor Hassan (4), Hanif Khan (2), Hasan Sardar (2) and Kalemullah (2) were Pakistan's scor-

Oman coach, S.A.S. Naqvi jumped for joy when Oman railied to wrest the lead from Hong Kong. The Oman players were thirsty for goals after their initial win against Bangladesh. But they were not destined to win this well-contested match. Hong Kong scored thrice threafter to clinch a 4-2 win. Amarjit. Khosla got a hat-trick for Hong Kong, while Nawab Khan Ali got the other goal for them. For Oman, Musafir Ali and Zahran Kahor

India had to do or die. They rightly opted for all-out attack. The 41st penalty stroke award gave them a fresh lease of life. They never wavered after Zafar Iqbal converted Zafar Iqbal, Mohammed Shahid, Charanjit Singh and Jagdeep Singh went on to find the boards. Ultimately it was a big win. But everyone knew how close it was.

India is bidding for a double bockey gold. Their women routed South Korea also by a 5-1 margin. Their win took them nearer the

gold medal which is now almost a certainty. Nothing short of a catastrophe could dislodge them of this distinction. Kum Sook Hwang's penalty goal was like Rajbeer Kaur's against Malaysia. Her attempt cut a parabola before dipping into goal. Once Selma D'Silva got through with a splendid reverse flick goal for India they surged to victory. Nazleen Madraswalia scored twice thereafter, while Raibeer Kaur and Prem Maya completed the

China finished winners of Group 'A' in basketball. They beat their main rivals North Korea 104-87. China face a challenge from Philippines as the competition draws near conclusion. The Filipinos swamped North Yemen 183-40 in a powerful display. Japan finished tops in Group 'C'.

Japan's strength in swimming soared. They set two games records and produced the best timings in four events. Tomika Saito, a 16year-old schoolgirl won much admiration. She clocked 4 mins, 30.16 seconds to better the previous record of Singapore's Junie Sng Pohlong by 1.19 seconds. On the men's front, Japan's 21-year-old university champion, bettered the 200-meter mark with a time of 2 minutes, 9.12 seconds.



TEES OFF: Malaysian Muhammad Ynsoff Junuidi tees off in the second round of the Asian Games Golf Championships. Sakata.

Iranians display game spirit

NEW DELHI, India, Nov. 22 (AP) - Iran did not come to the 9th Asian Games to win medals, but to prove that sport still lives in the new Islamic Republic and "to convey the meaning of our revolution" to the world, its delegation leader. Bahram Afsharzadeh said Monday.

Medals tally

China Japan North Korea South Korea Mongolia Philippines Indonesia

The Iranian contingent also wanted to publicize the barbarity of war, so it brought along 18 former champion athletes who lost arms or legs in the two-year border struggle with

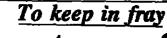
Afsharzadeh, himself a 12-year national gymnastic champion, dropped a bombshell on arrival in the Indian capital when he told Asian Games organizers Iran would not march in the opening ceremonies unless they were granted four concessions. But they took part after India conceded to two of their

"Iraq is the aggressor" in the war, Afsharzadeh said. "They have bombed our civilian populations and occupied our lands, and from a political point of view it was not our intent to march behind, in front or beside them." But the problem was solved by persuading Indonesia and Iraq to switch places. And the hosts also substituted the female placard holder with a male to meet their secand condition.

Iran have entered only four of the 20 competitive events: cycling, weightlifting, wrestling and soccer. So far its only medal, a bronze, has been in cycling. It has been overwhelmed in weightlifting a traditional strength, by Asian teams. Iraq has yet to claim a medal.

The handicapped veterans show the war's toll on Iran's sports program. Ideology has weakened it further. The revolutionary regime in Tehran believes a healthy mind is more important than a healthy body, and each person must attend ideology classes before he or she is allowed to train in sports

If Iran and Iraq meet on the soccer field, which could happen in the quarterfinals, they will behave as sportsmen and Islamic bretheren, he said. "Our nation has no quartel with the people of Iraq, but with the government of Iraq," Afsharzadeh said.



Kingdom stages fine rally

By our Special correspondent

NEW DELHI, Nov. 22 - Vibrant and delightful to watch. That was Saudi Arabia seeking honor in Asian Games soccer. But not incisive enough. One goal was all they could produce to force Syria to a 1-1 draw. Their qualification is in doubt.

How they fare against North Korea is what counts now. A victory is vital. The joint champions beat Thailand 3-0 convincingly. Both Kingdom and North Korea have three points each, Syria two. On overall play the Arabs appear superior. But two goals from two outings makes one chary about their marksmanship. Against that the Koreans have a whiplash striker in Man Yong II. He recorded the first hat-trick Monday. North Korea beat Thailand 4-0.

The bludgeon versus the rapier. An apt description of the central figures in the Syria-Saudi Arabia match. The Syrians were sharp yet with graceful movements. What could one do when the aggressor was so robust. Only one way to find the right opening. The Kingdom boys teased and tantalized the opposition. They came close to victory yet not to win. Sameer Abdulshakur was a Trojan, Amin Dabo the general planning the moves. Dabo

came in to replace Saleh Aldossery when Saudi Arabia fell into arrears. His promptings helped the Arab side take command. Their passes were precise, positional move-ments were so fluid. Their supremacy was obvious. They had to score. And they did to get the equalizer. The match-winner eluded them upto the end.

Syria drew with North Korea in their opening skirmish, They were not so hot Monday. But a flash move in the 19th saw them score. Inside-right Mahmoud Al-Said laid a pass for Marwan Medarat to break away. Marwan veered in from the left to piece the gap between stoppers Nawaf Al-Khamis and Sameer Abdulshakur. He went in with blinding speed to unleash a volley with goal firmly marked on it. Kingdom were stunned, they had just settled down.

Amin Dabo came in to stabilize Saudi Arabia. Their coordinated moves were effected with confidence. No hurry even now, But only eight minutes after the interval did they find goal. And it was a wonderful move. Majid Mohammad collected the hall frommidfield. He dribbled past one defender to enter the penalty area. But he did not err here to essay at goal. Abdulrahman Al-Kahtani had moved out into the clear.

Asian Games at a glance

Women
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Kyung Mi and Yang Ja Young), 2. South Koren.

Team: 1. South Korea, 2. Indonesia, 3. China

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Wormen Team; 1. South Korea, 2. North Korea, 3. China Telling, J. Stones Process, M. Koreal, 2. Kim Jin Ho Points: 3853. Individual: 1. Gwang Sun (N. Korea), 2. Kim Jin Ho (S. Korea), 3. Kim Mi Young (S. Korea), 2. Kim Mi Young (S. Korea), 3. Gwang Sun (N. Korea). Points:

India 1, Malaysia 0; Saudi Arabia 1, Syria 1. Hockey

Men
India 5, Malaysia 1, Pakistan 10, South Korea 0,
Hong Kong 4, Oman 2.

India 5, South Korea 1, Japan 11, Hong Kong U, Malaysia 1, Singapore 0.

Nets lower the boom on Supersonics

NEW YORK, Nov. 22 (AP) - All the good things that happened to the Seattle, Supersonics during their 12-game winning streak finally caught up with them.

The Sonics, whose 12-0 start was the third-best in National Basketball Association history, were drubbed 111-91 by the New Jersey Nets Sunday night to end the streak three games short of the league record. The 20-point defeat was the result of Scat-

tle's 57-43 rebounding deficit and its 28-of-82 shooting from the field for 34 percent. The best starts for an NBA team were 15-0 by the Washington Capitals in 1948 and 14-0 by the Boston Celtics in 1957.

In other NBA games, Milwaukee defeated Indiana 109-98, Portland embarrassed Cleveland 129-79 and Los Angeles out-

scored Denver 143-129. Forward Buck Williams led all scorers with

23 points for the Nets while hitting 10 of 11' Blazers 129, Cavaliers 79: Portland registered

the most lopsided victory over Cleveland as Jim Paxson scored 23 points and Darnell Valentine added, 18 points, six assists and six steals.

The Blazers built their biggest lead with 6:27 remaining in the game on a jump shot by Wayne Cooper to make it 117-58.

Lakers 143, Nuggets 129: Los Angeles won easily although Denver tied an NBA record by scoring 100 points or more for the 129th consecutive game. Jamaal Wilkes scored most of his 29 points in the fourth quarter to lead the Lakers, who never trailed in the game and led by as many as 25 points in the

The Nuggets, who got 45 points from Alex English and 31 from Kiki Vandeweght trimmed the deficit to 104-98 in the this period and 124-118 in the fourth quarter, by the Lakers pulled away again each time.

Bucks 109 Pacers 98: Marques Johnson scored 29 points and Steve Mix added 20 after hitting his first seven shots as Milwankee coasted to victory over Indiana. The bucks led by 31 points with eight minutes left in the game. Butch Carter led Indiana with 20 points.

with Braziliantitle Irwin walks away

RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil, Nov. 22 (AP) - Hale Irwin of the United States won the 37th Atlantica-Boavista Brazilian Open Golf Tournament Sunday with a four-round total of 265, seven-under-par.

back when Piras found the Verona net five

French First Division. With eleven victories

and three draws from their 16 outings, they

are emerging strong title favorites and are

still three points clear of their closest rivals

Auxerre and Lens scored a 2-0 home victory over Rouen. Playing some extremely neat and efficient football, Bordeaux took the lead

in their match through Lacombe. But the

turning point came midway through the

second-half when the fight drained from

Auxerre after tiny midfield general Alain

Giresse made it 2-0 from the penalty spot.

half of convert territorial domination into

goals. Finally Ogazza put them ahead on the hour and Bade made it 2-0 in the dying sec-

Lens had to wait until late in the second-

For good measure Lacombe scored again.

Bordeaux were 3-0 home winners over

Nantes continue to dominate affairs in the

minutes from time.

Bordeaux and Lens.

Irwin, who was tied for the lead going into the final round, shot a three-under-par 65 Sunday and won the first prize of \$10,000. Spain's Manuel Calero and American Curtis Strange tied for second place. Calero had been tied with Irwin going into Sunday's play. Feurtado tops

NEW YORK, Nov. 22 (AP) - Mike Feurtado of Jamaica and the New York Track and Field circuit team won the Sri Chinmoy half-marathon at Flushing Meadow Park Sunday by 23 seconds over Martin Placido of New York. Feurtado was timed in one hour. seven minutes and 57 seconds, while Placido was clocked in 1:08.20. Inez McLean of New York set a woman's course record in 1:8 41, while second place went to 11-year-old Monica Scarborough, also of New York, in

New trade for Buchanan EDINBURGH, Scotland, Nov. 22 (AFP) - Ken Buchanan, acclaimed as one of the most stylish lightweight world champion boxers, has taken a job as a joiner earning less than 7 pounds a week. "I am back at my old trade of joinery", said the Scot. The 37year-old Buchanan, who won 250,000pounds during his boxing career, added: "I'm broke, but I am happy. I am more content

In memory of Kim SEOUL, South Korea, Nov. 22 (AP) -Kim Duk Koo, the South Korean boxer who died of brain injuries following a world title bout in Las Vegas, Nevada, was hailed Monday as a "brave, honorable fighter who showed the world the will and indomitable spirit of the Korean people." About 300 mourners attended a memorial service.

now than I have ever been"

Big names to miss opener
BORMIO, Italy, Nov. 22 (AFP) — Swellish double Olympic champion Ingemar Stenmark is a doubtful starter for the World Alpine Skiing series which commences here Tuesday, as a curtain raiser to the World Cpp season. World Cup holder Phil Mahre has already announced that he will not be taking part in any skiing competition during December. And Mahre's twin brother, Steve,

may also be absent.

Asiad tid-bits

onnors outlasts Borg in

NEW DELHI, Nov. 22 (Agencies) -The Asian Games elephants left for Kerala Monday, in irons, but glad to be leaving the big city. Their departure by train for the open spaces of the southern state of Kerala in the dead of night was without fanfare from a goods marshalling yard on the outskirts of New Delhi. As the train carrying the 33 elephants slowly pulled away several of the beasts lifted their trunks and seemed to give a defiant snort before leaving.

3. The men's individual gymnastics event ended in uproar Monday with North Korean officials pushing and arguing with the judges. The row broke out after the judges awarded North Korean gymnast Li Chol Hon 9.65 points on the horizontal bar. Li who was in a neck and neck race with two Chinese gymnasts needed a better score to assure himself of at least a medal.

. The three day Equestrian event turned into a one horse race here when India's team was the only one to finish the speed and endurance section on the second day. By the end of the day India were in an

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 22 (AP) -

Jimmy Connors beat Bjorn Borg 7-5, 7-6

Sunday in the sixth and final match of their

fall exhibition tennis series and then headed

home for a 3 1/2-week break from competitive

Connors, the reigning Wimbledon and

U.S. Open champion, won five of the six

matches against Borg. They played the final one before a sellout crowd of 5.500 at the San

Francisco Civic Auditorium, and Connors

took \$75,000 of the \$100,000 prize money

put up for the match by the sponsor, Apple

Borg went into the series of exhibition

matches after a long layoff from tournament

play. The Swede will return to action in Feb-

ruary and plans to play in at least 12 tourna-

Meanwhile, Brian Teacher of the United

States won the \$300,000 WCT Tournament

with a gruelling five-set victory over Poland's

The three hour 51-minute match, played

before just 3.700 spectators, ended with a

\$100,000 prize for the 27-year-old Califor-

' In Sao Paulo, Brazil, Argentina's Jose Luis

Wojtek Fibak, 6-7, 6-2, 6-4, 2-6, 6-4.

nian and \$32,000 for Fibak.

Computer.

ments next year.

team title and the individual medal.

almost unbeatable position to win both the

Nearly 900 athletes and officials have been treated so far at the Asian Games Village Hospital for minor injuries and ailments, hospital sources said. We are under heavy pressure because the athletes are coming in for general check ups and minor ailments although the hospital is really meant for emergencies, said a doctor.

One participant in Asian Games Yachting may object to being called a "belmsman" because she is a woman and the only female in the competition. Goshpi Avari, 36, is not only the first women entrant since sailing was brought into the Asian Games 12 years s ago. She is the only female member of the entire Pakistan contingent.

India's women hockey players — almost guaranteed of a gold at the 9th Asian Games — will never know whether they are better than their arch-rivals, the Pakistanis. In men's hockey, the Indo-Pak contest promises as always to be an Olympian contest, but there will be no women's match-up as Pakistan failed to field a team.

Clerc won the Quatro Rodas Hotels Grand

Prix Tournament, earning \$40,000 by beat-

ing Brazil's Marcos Hocevar 6-2, 6-7 (3-7),

Hocevar, who runs hard and lunges for even the lost balls, struggled to the end, but could not match Clerc's harder serve and has

cooler, more elegant control of the ball. Clerc

is ninth in the international ranking. Hocevar

won \$20,000 and a total of \$200,000 was

American Mike Bauer won the men's sing-

les and doubles finals, providing an exciting

finale to the 1982 Bangkok Classic at the Hua

Gurfein 6-1, 6-2 in one hour and 10 minutes

Palmer of the United States 6-3, 6-2 to win

the \$75,000 International (Indoor) Tourna-

Bauer, 23, trounced fellow-American Jim

Sweden's Andres Jarryd beat Mike de

Jarryd took just an hour to demolish his

opponent who was stiff in response and often

erratic in serving. The Swede was in frim

control and began enlarging his lead with

PARIS, Nov. 22 (AFP) — Roma and Juventus fans were jubilant as their teams

gained ground in Italy this weekend as Euro-

pean League Football had its final outing

Meanwhile, in France, runaway leaders

Nantes could afford to share a goalless draw in front of their fans and still bold a three

points lead over their closest rivals, and Span-

ish First Division pace setters Real Madrid

kept their unbeaten record intact and treated

their supporters to a four-goal home victory.

import Michel Platini dominated the

weekend's First Division football in Italy.

With Verona dropping a point in a surprise

2-2 home draw against Cagliari, A.S. Roma

surged into the championship lead with a styl-

ish 3-1 win over Florentina. And their hero

was the exciting Conti, who clinched his side's

Roma had got off to a flying start. The

victory with two superb goals.

World Cup star Bruno Conti and French

before Wednesday's UEFA clashes.

Janine Thompson, at 15 one of the

powerful and accurate serves.

distributed in prize money.

Mark Indoor Stadius

of fast tennis.

ment in Ancona.

The Malaysian added a 75 to his first day's 71 to finish joint second with Filipino Francisco Minoza on 146. Both are two strokes behind pacesetter Japanese Tetsuo

youngest competitors in this year's New

South Wales Women's Open Championship.

upset American Kate Latham 6-3, 7-6 Mon-

day in first-round play. Latham, 30. is ranked No. 39 in the world. She broke Latham in the fifth, seventh and ninth games of the opening set and won a second-set tiebreaker 7-4. Thompson will play the tournament's seventh seed. Sylvia Hanika of West Germany, in the second round Tuesday.

Most of the top seeds in the tournament. including top-ranked Martina Navratilova, had byes Monday. But the 13th seed, Evonne Cawley, making a determined comeback, got off to a good start in her opening match. easily defeating Claudia Monteiro of Brazil 6-1, 6-2. She will now play Chris O'Neil.

Two other Australians who advanced to the second round included Susan Leo, who had to qualify. She beat the American Alycia Moulton, a semifinalist in Brisbane last week 7-5, 6-3, and Dianne Fromholtz, a lefthander, who showed such promise has returned with a vengeance after some miserable physical setbacks beating American Paula Smith 6-1, 6-4.



ALL CONCENTRATION: Wimbledon and U.S. Open champion Jimmy Con defeated Bjorn Borg 7-5, 7-6 for the fifth time in the six-match exhibition series, is all

Moussy's pains go down the drain

PARIS, Nov. 22 (AFP) — France's Olivier Moussy, who changed course during the Route Du Rhum Single-Handed Yacht race to rescue Australian Jan Johnston from his overturned yacht, may end up being disqualified from the Transatlantic race for his

Moussy, who has already been singled out for a bravery award by the French govern-ment, has been told by the race committee that he is considered to be disqualified. Originally he was told that if Johnston gave him no help he could continue. Moussy is already thinking of appealing against the decision.

Meanwhile, France's Marc Pajot in his datamarin Elf Aquitaine still leads the race, now out of the calm and into freshening breeze of easterly winds. He is still shadowed by fellow-Frenchmen Eric Loizeau and Bruno Peyron.

game was only three minutes old when the Lockheed stays ahead of SANG

By Paddy Rogan

JEDDAH, Nov. 22 - With Division One leaders Letco enjoying a bye the Alireza team continued their pursuit of the holders with a hard-earned 6-3 (9 points to 3 points) win over a strong Skanska. A' team. As only 4 points separate the top two teams, next week match between Letco and Skanska A' (third placed) could result in a change in the leadership. In other matches, Dunes" A" beat City Lets 11-1, Irregulars downed Dunes "B" 9-3 and KAIA defeated Brem/Riofinix "A" 8-4.

Juffali, who recorded a 7-2 win over Skanska B' are still unbeaten in the Mobilsponsored division. This win puts them on 46 points, three points clear of a Mobil team whose only taste of defeat todate has been at the hands of the league leaders, and by the narrowest of margins 5-4. Mobil "A" bested Raytheon "A" 9-3 and Doweeh/NCI beat IAL 8-4 in other actions.

The Arabian homes "A' team capably managed by Norwegian Anders Roed move into joint second place with Mobil 'A' after their crucial 5-3 (8 pts.) win over City Pie. Promotion in this division is still very much in the balance.

Ten points clear in the third division are the all-conquering Weimer/Trachte team. Their progress toward the title, however, was slowed somewhat by a plucky display by a weakened Sonics team. The division leaders duly won 6-3 (9 pts), but wins by Makiewicz, Kerslake and the Roja - Gharib partnership gave the Weiman/Trachte team their toughest match to date.

The Italians have continued their steady progress up the league table and their 8-1 (11 pts) win over Gray Mackenzie puts them in second position. Bell Canada, under captain Fred Demars, who have a victory over the Italians to their credit this season, are eagerly awaiting next Saturday's home match with the leaders - Weiman Trachte.

A 6-3 (9 pts) win for Lockheed over Arabian Homes B' in the Arab News, sponsored division leaves them on 37 points. In second place, only four points behind the leaders are SANG, who had a bye last week. Next week Lockheed entertain the Petromin/U.O.P. team who, to date, have only scored a solitary win. That win, however, was 6-3 against Arabian Homes "B". Petromin U.O.P lost 4-8 to City Outcasts last week.

home side stop scorer for the last two seasons, Roberto Pruzzo, added another goal to his tally. But Pruzzo's delight disintegrated ten minutes later when he missed a golden chance to put his side 2-0 clear with a penalty. The referee pointed to the spot after a foul on Brazilian star Paolo-Roberto Falcao but Pruzzo's place kick was off-target.

By contrast Giancarlo Antognoni, the Fiorentina captain, made no mistake when his chance of a spot kick came after half-anhour when the Roma goalkeeper Tancredit was penalized for a foul on Daniele Massaro.

Things began to look increasingly bleak for Roma as the half continued for as soon as Fiorentina found themselves back on level

terms, they closed up shop. It took some Conti magic just 30 seconds before the halftime whistle to prise open the mased defense. The little winger wrongfooted two defenders with a superb dribble

and hit a left-footed drive into the corner of

the net. Conti struck again five minutes from

Conti's brace helps Roma surge to top spot in Italian League time when he sent a rocket-like shot flashing into the roof of the Fiorentina net.

In Turin, 60,000 people watched Juventus score a single goal victory in the 183rd derby match against Torino. The Juventus goalscorer in the 35th minute was Frenchman Michel Platini who stabbed home from close range after Terreneo failed to hold a powerful drive from Marco Tardelli.

Platini had an excellent match and teased the Torino defenders with some superb inch-perfect passes and clever off the ball running. Veteran Juventus goalkeeper Dino Zoff also had a fine match. Making his 550th appearance in the Italian First Division, Zoff produced two spectacular saves late in the

The season's surprise packet Verona went clear of Cagliari in the 12th minute with a goal from Penzo, but the visitors came back on level terms through Uribe five minutes later. Verona went ahead again on the hour thanks too Fanna but again Cagliari came

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GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) You may meet with competition in business, though plans about a trip go without a hitch. Feelings stabilize in

(June 21 to July 22) You should be able to finalize a business or domestic matter, but conflicts about ethical standards arise with co-workers.

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It is said that bridge is an easy game and, as a matter of fact, this is true in about 90 percent of the hands you're dealt. But the sad fact is that the overwhelming majority of mistakes made occur during the bidding and play of these easy hands, rather than during the bidding and play of the

Consider this deal where South was in three notrump and West led a diamond. Declarer won the trick with dummy's nine, played a heart

to his jack, and another heart back to East's ace.

East shifted to a spade, won by the king, and declarer returned a low diamond hoping to get to dummy and cash three heart tricks. But West went up with his king of diamonds, returned a spade, and South went down one. He scored only eight tricks - two spades, a heart, diamonds and two clubs.

Declarer could have assured the contract had he not fallen asleep at the switch. All he had to do was win the opening lead with the queen of diamonds(!) and force out the ace of hearts.

East takes the second heart lead with the ace but is helpless. Let's say he shifts to a spade. South wins and leads the two of diamonds, taken by West with the king. West leads another spade, but school is out. Declarer takes the spade, plays the diamond six to dummy's jack, cashes three hearts and thus makes five

notrump! Let's grant that it seems absurd to win the diamond at trick one with your queen after dummy's nine holds the trick. But that's the kind of game bridge is - if you impulsively win the first trick in dummy with the nine and then start thinking about what to do next. That would be putting the card before the horse, which is a wrong thing to do. © 1982 King Features Syndicate, Inc.

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Over defense budget

Norway government faces no-trust vote

in parliament here over next year's defense budget could lead to a vote of no confidence in the conservative minority government of Prime Minister Kaare Willoch. The debate Monday comes as a climax after weeks of quarreling among parliamentarians on granting funds for the preparatory work for the deployment of new intermediate-range nuclear missiles in Western Europe.

The opposition Labor Party has leveld its criticism against Defense Minister Anders C. Sjaastad, accusing him of withholding information from the defense committee in parliament. Signastad has stated in parliament that the committee has received all the information requested from the ministry about grant-ing money to preparations for Cruise and Pershing-2 missiles channeled through the infrastructure program of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO).

Labor leader Gro Harlem Brundtland and other party officials have stated that the party still supports the NATO 1979 decision on modernization of nuclear weapons in Western Europe. But the party wants to delay the decision of granting money for the preparations until more information is available from the Geneva negotiations on reducing the number of intermediate-range missiles in

Mrs. Harlem Bruntland has stated that the party does not want to spearhead the deployment preparations. She wants to await

U.K. detectives close murder file

NEWARK, England Nov. 22 (AP) - Nottinghamshire detectives Sunday closed the murder file on a strangled wife found buried near her English home after her husband hanged himself in Libya, police said.

Briton Ralph Savory, 35, an oil refinery engineer, was asked by British police to return home after they found the body five days ago of his wife Pamela in a shallow grave in Sherwood forest, 16 kilometers from their

Police said Libyan police informed them Sunday that Savory had been found hanged where he worked 48 kilometers outside the Libyan capital, Tripoli. He was due to come home on Monday for questioning.

The information received from police at Tripoli is that he committed suicide," said Chief Superintendent John McNaught. "Police officers engaged in the murder inquiry into the death of Pamela Savory are now returning to normal duties."

Mrs. Savory, 34, a schoolteacher, disappeared Sept. 23 during her husband's last home leave. Savory told police she vanished after he walked out of the home when they had a quarrel. He returned to Libya Oct. 5, leaving their three children aged between 12 and 8 with his mother-in-law.

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receive the new American nuclear weapons.

The vote later Monday to grant money for the preparations will split parliament in a major question concerning defense and security issues for the first time in many years. The debate has aroused public concern in Norway. The "no nuclear weapons" movement has gained much public support and the political parties, especially Labor, are trying

The Foreign Ministry has received official notes from several NATO partners expressing concern over the nuclear debate in Norway, fearing that anti-nuclear feelings could spread to other countries. Norway has won acceptance in NATO for its view that no nuclear weapons will be based on Norwegian soil in peacetime. This declaration dates back to the early 1960s, and no NATO partner has so far questioned it.

Sihanouk cancels Cambodia visit

PEKING, Nov. 22 (AFP) — Prince Norodom Sihanouk, president of the new Cambodian coalition in exile, who is currently in the North Korean capital of Pyongyang, has canceled all travel plans, specially his projected visit next month to Cambodia to preside over a meeting of the coalition government.

A member of the prince's entourage, contacted by phone from Peking, told AFP that the former Cambodian monarch, 60, was tired after recent travels and had decided to rest awhile in North Korea. However, circles familiar with Cambodian affairs speculate that the prince might have been vexed by the reception given to Khmer Rouge leader Khieu Samphan recently in Peking, while the prince himself was in that city.

The coalition over which the prince presides had encountered many difficulties in its formation. It brings together the Khmer Rouges, a Chinese ally ousted from Phnom Penh by Vietnamese forces, and the two anti-Communist movements headed by the prince and Son Sann.

Chinese Premier Zhao Ziyang has just told Son Sann, now in China, that no favoritism will be shown to any of the three coalition members. The coalition came into being last

The same Cambodian watchers said China's public statements on the issue, and its recent repeated calls for unity among coalition members showed a certain wariness from the Chinese side. Prior to his Peking visit, Son Sann had said that he would be asking for more military aid from Peking.

At a banquet honoring San,, Premier Zhao had accused Vietnam of trying to drive a wedge among the coalition partners. Prince Sihanouk had expected to visit Thailand and Cambodia next month. He also was to preside at a coalition meeting in the Cambodian regions contorlled by the coalition.

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De Lorean's wife writes of many ifs

NEW YORK, Nov. 22 (AP) - Cristina Ferrare De Lorean says the friendship between her son and a neighbor's child led to her husband's meeting with the boy's father - the FBI informant who was instrumental in automaker John Z. De Lorean's arrest on

"If, if, if...," Mrs. De Lorean wrote in a diary kept from her husband's arrest Oct. 19 to his release Oct. 29 on \$20 million bail." If we hadn't bought the Pauma Valley house. If we'd stuck by our rule: No outsiders...If Zachary hadn't become friends with one of the neighbor's children three years ago... If we hadn't met the parents,

Mrs. De Lorean's diary for the 11 days was published in the Nov. 22 edition of *People* magazine. *People* said the neighbor was Jim Hoffman, a confidential informant for the FBL

The magazine said Mrs. De Lorean, a 32-year-old model, refused to pose next to the sports car manufactured by her husband's company, which has gone into chapter 11 bankruptcy. "I hate that car," she told editors. "It's been the cause of all our troubles. People said she agreed to sell her diary because, "while people are making jokes, I want them to know what it's like for the family." The couple has two children, 11-year-old Zachary and Kathryn, 5.

Her agent said she also needs the money, according to the magazine, which did not reveal how much it paid. The government contends that De Lorean, 57, became involved in a \$60 million cocaine deal in effort to raise cash for his failing company.

Describing their first meeting after De Lorean's arrest, in a Los Angeles courtroom, Mrs. De Lorean noted his concern for his family and the De Lorean workers thrown out of jobs when the British government closed the factory in Northern Ireland.

'My God, My God," she quotes him as saying. "Look what they've done to me. What am I going to do about all those workers, their jobs?" Mrs. De Lorean also talks about her panic and resentment at the media coverage, her taking over the family's financial affairs and her disillusionment with many of her friends.

She declared chapter 11 bankruptcy for De Lorean Motors and raised bail, holding only 10-minute conversations daily with her jailed husband. Her selling their stock in the New York Yankees baseball team bothered him, she wrote, "because he wanted to give

his piece of the team to Zachary someday."
"All this has changed him...this has brought him and his three brothers together again, banded them in love and unity. He understands the importance of family...This really has helped him spiritually. It's the only consolation I ve had so far."

N-freeze puts Danes in a squeeze and acting foreign minister, said Monday

COPENHAGEN, Denmark, Nov. 22 (AP) - Denmark's center-right minority government was in a squeeze Monday with just 24 hours to decide whether it will vote against a United Nations resolution to freeze nuclear weapons arsenals, or bow to majority opposition pressure and abstain.

- If the 10-week-old government sticks to its original decision and votes "no," the opposition has threatened to put the issue before the Folketing, Denmark's parliament, creating showdown that could result in a stinging defeat for the four-party coalition.

However, spokesmen for the biggest opposition party, the Social Democrats, said a Folketing vote would not necessarily be tantamount to a vote of no confidence, forcing the government to resign. "It could be just a matter of criticizing the government. without any call for resignation," one Social Democrat said.

Anker Joergensen, former Social Democratic prime minister, said earlier it would be up to the government to decide what consequences it would draw from a defeat on the after an urgent meeting of the Folketing Foreign Affairs Committee that the government still had not decided which way it would vote. Christophersen said "I just want to point

out that the government has its own free will and is not bound by the majority's position in the Foreign Affairs Committee." Foreign Minister Uffe Ellemann-Jensen

emmissary of the European Economic Community. Prime Minister Pol Schlueter also was absent, on an official visit to Britain and France. The resolution, originally proposed at a special U.N. General Assembly session on

disarmament last summer, is co-sponsored by Sweden, India and Mexico. It comes up for a vote in New York Tuesday in the U.N.'s first committee on disarmament. All NATO alliance countries have agreed to vote against Ellemann-Jensen has said the resolution

would imply "a freeze of the Soviet Union's nuclear supremacy" in a Moscow propaganda stunt that "some neutral countries unfortunately have been taken in by."

Henning Christophersen, finance minister Dutch to fulfill NATO commitment THE HAGUE, Nov. 22 (AFP) - 1 he Union to negotiate a reduction of nuclear

Netherlands will fulfill its nuclear commitments to the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) and increase real defense spending by two percent annually during the; next four years, Dutch Prime Minister Ruud Lubbers said here Monday. In his speech at the swearing-in ceremony of his government, Lubbers called the Atlan-

tic alliance the key to Western cooperation and promised that the Netherlands will continue efforts to diminish reliance on nuclear

The new prime minister said that the Netherlands will continue preparations to deploy NATO missiles to pressure the Soviet

Two more desert

BONN, Nov. 22 (R) - Two more members of parliament quit West Germany's Free Democratic Party (FDP) Monday underlining the continuing deep divisions in the small party from which two other MPs have resigned in the last two weeks.

Helga Schuchardt and Friedrich Hoelscher said they had left in protest at the FDP's lurch to the right. They had opposed the decision of the party, which had 53 deputies and is led by Foreign Minister Hans-Dietrich Genscher, to desert the Social Democrats (SPD) and team

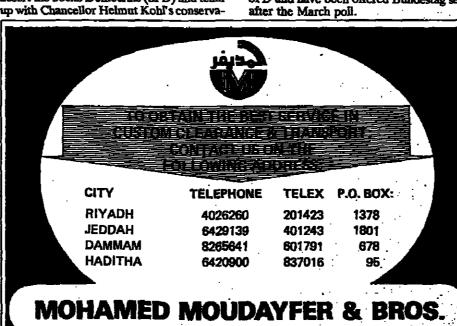
weapons at Geneva. Lubbers said that parliament would debate the missile deployment preparations and that the Soviet attitude at the Geneva negotiations could influence the Dutch position on the deployment of Cruise The prime minister also voiced his gov-

erament's support for free trade and admittance of Spain and Portugal to the European Common Market, and the strengthening of the European monetary system. The prime minister said that the Netherlands will maintain its aid to developing countries at the present level of 1.5 percent of gross national

Genscher's party

Mrs. Schuchardt, 43, a member of the Bundestag (lower house) since 1972, said she would sit as an independent until the planned general election next March but would not run again. Hoelscher, 47, elected to parliament the same year, said he too would stay in the Bundestag, might join the Social Democ-

The other two deputies to quit the FDP, Ingrid Matthaeus-Maier and Andreas von Schoeler, have both said they would join the SPD and have been offered Bundestag seats after the March poll.





Queen Mother Elizabeth

Autumn elates Notrees town

NOTREES, Texas Nov. 22 (AP) - In Notrees, an almost treeless town of 50 people and as many dogs on the bleak plains of America's southwest, autumn is a special

"I saw a couple of leaves turn color," one young girl exclaimed. "I really did, and was it nice not like those yucces that do nothing." "It may not seem much to most, but here in

Notrees, we have a couple of leaves that change color." says Joyce Green, a gas station attendant. "For us, that's worth celebrating." "Some even cheer and clap," adds Billy Ray Green, her husband. "Remember, it's not that easy for us to find trees or trees with leaves that change color."

Notrees has more oil rigs on its horizon than trees. The trees it does have are a few mulberry trees planted over the past 10 years. Locals in Green's station, the center of town activities, agree on one matter: Fall is still a thing of small beauty even in Notrees, where the season makes the briefest of showings.

"Fall," explains one mother to her daughter. "You know, where the leaves change color. You've seen it on TV." Every since the 1960s, when 700 oilfield workers worked here, the town has shriveled, losing more and more workers as the oil business became automated and workers were laid off. Mosi who work in the area now commute.

"There aren't any natives anymore in Notthere were no trees in Notrees." Notrees has no mayor and only four operating businesses. For the most part, it appears ghostly dead.

Queen mum operated on

LONDON, Nov. 22 (AP) — The Queen Mother Elizabeth, 82-year-old mother of Britain's Queen Elizabeth II, choked on's fishbone at dinner and after several hours of discomfort, was rushed to the hospital carri Monday for an operation to remove the obt

The surgery was successful and the queen mother was making "good progress" and should be home within 48 hours, her official spokesman, Maj. John Griffin, told the Associated Press.

"She choked over dinner, he said of the nations beloved queen mum, widow of King George VI. Asked if her life was in peril, he said: "Absolutely not. It was more uncomfortable than anything else." There was a delay of several hours before

the quees mother was driven at 1.30 am from Royal Lodge, her home adjacent to Windsor Castle, to the King Edward VIII Hospital for Officers in London for ad emergency operation.

Griffin, speaking from Clarence House the queen mother's London residence, said her dinner companions and doctor at first tried to dislodge the fishbone. They failed and it was decided to take her to the hospital

"It was the only way," Griffin said. "She made it up to town quite happily." Surger was judged necessary when the queet mother, who turned 82 on Aug. 4, continued choking and was unable to swallow.

The operation was performed under general anaesthetic by Dr. Alan Fuller, the Car ence House announcement said. Princes Margaret, the queen mother's 52-year-of daughter, accompanied her to the hospits and stayed until after the operation. To queen and the rest of the royal family with

kept informed, according to PA.

The queen mother, who for many years is been the public's favorite royal because of her chatty warmth, has canceled five appearances she was to have undertaken this week

Londoners are especially fond of the former Lady Elizabeth Angela Margaruerit Bowes-Lyon, daughter of the 14th Earl of Strathmore and descended from the roys house of Scotland, because of her brave visit to the bomb-charted streets of the East En during the Blitz of World War IL Her hus band, the king, chose to remain in the cir during the Luftwaffe bombing, an act the inspired the nat. a.

Her shy, stammering husband came to the throne in 1936 when his brother. Kin Edward VIII, abdicated to marry the twice divorced American, Wallis Simpson.

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